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SUPPLY AND DEMAND: CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL IN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS, 1953, With Forecast for 1958

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- In September, 1953, California colleges and universities will supply two elementary teachers where seven are needed, and one secondary teacher where two are needed, for employment in California public schools.
- More than half of the persons currently employed on the basis of emergency credentials hold bachelors' degrees or have equivalent training.
- More than half of the 1952 candidates who qualified for secondary teaching credentials did not take teaching positions in the fall of 1952.
- One-fifth fewer candidates for teaching credentials will be graduated from California colleges and universities in 1953 than were graduated in 1952.
- During the next five years California will need 65,000 new teachers-45,000 in elementary schools and 20,000 in secondary schools.

These are some of the facts revealed by the fifth annual study of supply and demand of certificated personnel in California made by the Division of State Colleges and Teacher Education, repeating and augmenting the previous investigations and analyses.

THE DEMAND FOR CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

In this fifth annual study of supply of and demand for certificated personnel 1 in California, covering the school year 1952-53, the procedure has been the same as was used during the past four years.2 The following measures of demand for certificated personnel have been employed: (1) The number of certificated persons employed in each county of the state, and the types of credentials held by these persons, determined by a survey made through the offices of the county superintendents of schools, (2) the demand for certificated persons by types

¹ The term certificated personnel or certificated persons, as used in this study, refers to classroom teachers, supervisors, administrators, and other persons employed in positions requiring certification. The term teacher refers to classroom teachers only.

² California Schools, XX (April, 1949), 89-103; XXI (May, 1950), 113-34; XXII (May, 1951), 137-68; XXIII (July, 1952), 307-43.

TABLE 1 NUMBER OF CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL EMPLOYED ON REGULAR AND EMERGENCY CREDENTIALS, OCTOBER 31, 1952, BY TYPE OF CREDENTIAL

	N	umber emplo	yed	Percentage
Type of Credential	Total	On regular or provisional credentials	On emergency credentials	employed on emergency credentials
In Teaching Fields:				
Provisional kindergarten-primary	275	275		
Kindergarten-primary	4,032 3,330	3,820 3,330	212	5.3
General elementary	37,864	33.980	3.884	10.3
Junior high school	2,207	2,207		10.0
Special secondary (total) Agriculture, vocational	10,388	10,026	362	3.0
Agriculture, vocational	378 21	378		
Art	728	21 728		
Aviation	10	9	1	1.0
Blind	35	35		1.0
Business education	713	713		
Deaf Homemaking	81	81	~-	
Home nursing	1,178	1,150	28	2.4
Industrial arts	1.157	1.157	4	100
Industrial arts, limited	383	383		
Lip reading	42	42		
Mentally retarded, education of Music	961	746	215	22.4
Music, limited	1,248	1,212	36	2.9
Nursing education.	50	47	3	6.0
Partially sighted	17	17		0.0
Physical education (men)	969	969		
Physical education (women)	1,047	1,027	20	1.9
Public safety, driver training Speech arts	46 72	33 72	13	28.3
Speech defects	294	288	-6	2.0
Vocational arts Class A	523	487	36	6.9
Vocational arts Class B	163	163		0.0
Vocational arts Class C1 Vocational arts Class C2	27	27		
Other special secondary fields	177	3		
General secondary	22.348	177 21,825	523	0.0
Junior college	372	372	020	2.3
Adult education.	3,954	3,954		
Total (in teaching fields)	84,770	79,789	4,981	5.9
Nonteaching Fields:				
Elementary supervision	353	353		
Secondary supervision	73	73		
Special supervision	274	274		
Elementary administration	2,678	2,638	40	1.5
Secondary administration in trade and industrial	1,721	1,721		
education	26	23	2	** *
General administration.	879	879	3	11.5
Child welfare and supervision of attendance	304	277	27	8.9
Health and development, school nurse	1,340	1,015	325	24.3
OtherLibrarianship	277 328	246	31	11.2
School pyschologist	130	328 130		
School psychometrist	110	110		
Total (in nonteaching fields)	8,493	8.067	426	5.0
Grand Total				
WHAT AVIADALLE STATE OF THE STA	93,263	87,856	5,407	5.8

of credentials, as reported by placement bureaus; and (3) estimates of the number of newly certificated persons needed to replace the deceased and retired and the number needed to meet the needs of an increasing school population.

1. Reports from County Superintendents of Schools

The present demand for certificated school personnel is indicated by the number of certificated persons currently employed. This is indicated in reports from county superintendents of schools, which show the number of certificated persons employed on October 31, 1952, and the type of credential held by each person or, in the case of an individual with several credentials on file in the county office, the particular credential on the basis of which he derived half or more of his October salary. Table 1 shows the total number of certificated persons employed in the public schools of California in October, 1952, as 93,263, an increase of 4,973 over the number employed in October, 1951. This was an increase of 5.6 per cent.

The extent to which the demand exceeds the supply of fully qualified persons is shown by the number serving on emergency credentials. Table 1 shows the number of persons employed on emergency credentials in October, 1952, as 5,407, or 5.8 per cent of the total. This is a decrease of 741 from the number in October, 1951, of 6,148, which was 7.0 per cent of the total at that time. Of the 5,407 persons reported as employed on emergency credentials this year, 4,096 were teachers in the elementary schools, 3,089 of whom were employed in regular positions under contract and the remainder on credentials for substitute and part-time service.

Although the total number of certificated persons employed in the California public schools has increased 26.8 per cent since the school year 1948-49—that is, from 73,484 in that year to 93,263 in the year 1952-53—

TABLE 2

NUMBER OF CERTIFICATED PERSONS EMPLOYED, ON OCTOBER 31, FOR SCHOOL YEARS 1948-49 TO 1952-53, AND THE NUMBER AND PER CENT EMPLOYED ON EMERGENCY CREDENTIALS

School year	Total personnel employed	Number employed on regular credentials	Number employed on emergency credentials	Per cent employed on emergency credentials
1948-49	73,484	60,446	13,038	17.7
1949-50	78,069	67,422	10,647	13.6
1950-51	82,868	75,595	7,273	8.8
1951-52	88,290	82,142	6,148	7.0
1952-53	93,263	87,856	5,407	5.8

the number of persons serving on emergency credentials has decreased nearly 60 per cent during the same five-year period—that is, from 13,038 in the year 1948-49 to 5,407 in the year 1952-53. These figures are shown in Table 2.

The reports made by county superintendents of schools have also revealed the proportion of persons serving on emergency credentials in October, 1952, according to types of credentials. This proportion ranges from 28.3 per cent for public safety and accident prevention, including driver training, to 1.0 per cent for aviation.

	Proportion of credentials in use
Type of credential	ssued on emergency basis
Public safety and accident prevention, inc	lud-
ing driver training	28.3 per cent
Health and development-school nurse	24.3 per cent
Education of the mentally retarded	22.4 per cent
Secondary school administration in trade	
industrial education	11.5 per cent
Health and development-others	11.2 per cent
General elementary	10.3 per cent
Child welfare and supervision of attendance	e 8.9 per cent
Vocational class A	
Nursing education	6.0 per cent
Kindergarten-primary	
Music	2.9 per cent
Homemaking	2.4 per cent
General secondary	
Physical education, women	1.9 per cent
Speech defects	2.0 per cent
Elementary school administration	1.5 per cent
Aviation	1.0 per cent

Figure 1 shows the number of teachers employed on the basis of elementary or secondary credentials during the period from October, 1948, to October, 1953, and the percentage of this number whose credentials were issued on the emergency basis.

The proportion of teachers employed in October of each of the past five years who held emergency credentials authorizing service on the elementary and secondary school levels, is thus approximately as shown in the following tabulation:

Secondary	Elementary
1948-1 out of 9	1948-1 out of 4
1949-1 out of 20	1949-1 out of 5
1950-1 out of 30	1950-1 out of 7
1951-1 out of 40	1951-1 out of 9
1952-1 out of 33	1952-1 out of 11

The proportion of emergency teachers required for secondary schools increased from 1 in 50 during 1951-52 to 1 in 33 during 1952-53. There

are some indications that the proportion of persons employed in secondary schools on emergency credentials may increase further if school enrollments continue to increase and the conditions of full employment add to the competition for fully qualified individuals in various occupations and professions which drains the supply of college-trained persons into other fields than education.

In considering the purposes for which emergency credentials are issued it should be pointed out that some are for regular full-time service and some for part-time and substitute service only. Table 3 shows the number of persons employed on regular and emergency credentials in regular and substitute positions on October 31, 1952. A comparison of these figures with those for October 31, 1951, shows that the number of persons serving on emergency credentials in regular positions decreased by 623 (13.3 per cent), and the number in substitute positions decreased by 118 (8.0 per cent).

In counties that are largely mountainous or rural, the proportion of persons serving on emergency credentials is high. The need to employ such persons is less in areas of the state where living conditions are good

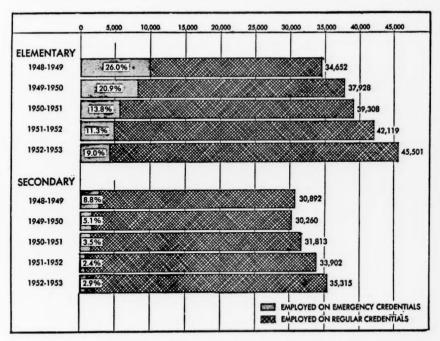


Figure 1. Number of teachers employed on credentials authorizing service in elementary and secondary schools, and percentages of emergency credentials, 1948-49, 1949-50, 1950-51, 1951-52, and 1952-53.

TABLE 3

NUMBER OF CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL EMPLOYED IN REGULAR AND SUBSTITUTE POSITIONS, ON REGULAR AND EMERGENCY CREDENTIALS, OCTOBER 31, 1952

Fields and positions	Employed on regular credentials	Employed on emergency credentials	Total
In Teaching Fields:			
Employed in regular positions	75,067	3,660	78,727
Employed in substitute positions	4,722	1,321	6,043
Total persons employed in teaching fields	79,789	4,981	84,770
In Nonteaching Fields:			
Employed in regular positions	7,960	392	8,352
Employed in substitute positions	107	34	141
Total persons employed in nonteaching fields	8,067	426	8,493
Total employed in regular positions	83,027	4.052	87,079
Total employed in substitute positions	4,829	1,355	6,184
GRAND TOTAL	87,856	5,407	93,263

and salaries high. The variation according to locality in the need for emergency credentialed personnel is shown in Table 4, which lists counties in the order of the number of emergency credentials registered for public school service. The State Department of Education recognizes the difficulty of securing regularly credentialed, qualified persons for public school service in certain places but encourages counties which do not have this problem to establish some standards of training or experience which applicants for emergency credentials in those counties must meet.3 The most general requirement in such counties is two years of college training, and in some the applicant is required to submit a statement to the effect that he will complete work for a regular credential. Requirements of this type, set by counties for the purpose of securing trained emergency teachers, are somewhat comparable to requirements for the provisional kindergarten-primary and provisional general elementary credentials issued by the State Board of Education. It may be possible at some future time to raise the standards for the issuance of emergency credentials to a similar level since many of the conditions which gave rise to the issuance of emergency credentials no longer exist.

³ California Administrative Code, Title 5, Education, sets forth the following minimum requirements of applicants for emergency credentials: (Section 605) citizenship in the United States, or first papers for naturalization, and minimum age of 18 years; (Section 615) a health certificate, and a statement of need signed by the county superintendent of schools indicating that no qualified, regularly certificated applicant of the type needed is available and that the applicant, if granted the credential applied for, will be employed in a specified position.

TABLE 4

NUMBER OF CREDENTIALED PERSONNEL EMPLOYED IN EACH CALIFORNIA COUNTY, WITH PER CENT EMPLOYED ON THE BASIS OF EMERGENCY CREDENTIALS, OCTOBER 31, 1952

¥		1952			1921			Z	umber the b	and per	cent of	person cy cred	Number and per cent of personnel employed on the basis of emergency credentials, 1952	loyed or 1952	_	
County	Total number creden-	Total employed	Per cent of total personnel employed	Total number oreden-	Total employed	Per cent of total personnel employed	Kindergarten primary	garten	General	General	Gen	General	Special secondary	cial	In nonteaching fields	teach-
	trated personnel employed	emergency credentials	on emergency credentials	personnel employed	ials	on emergency credentials	Num- ber	Per	Num-	Per	Num-	Per	Num- per	Per	Num- ber	Per
San Francisco	4.419	31	0.7	4.607	10	0.1	:	:	21	1	m	0.3	1	63	1	:
Los Angeles	34,249	1,191	8	32,170	1,330	4	130	10	635	10	151	63	139	es	136	4
Marin	735	23	69	829	64	00	-	60	14	4	:	1	-	63	-	6
San Mateo	1,973	9	0	1,640	26	r.	-		46	ro.	m	9.0	63	63	œ	4
Santa Clara	2,881	86	· es	2,662	180	e r	= '	10	20	1 01	9	- 5	4 0	- L	00 9	eo c
Alameda	0,292	107	* *	0,110	930	O 14	4 10	9 6	146	-1	01		35	0 4	200	9 0
Butte	542	27	F 10	586	34	9	,	9	17	. 9	. 60	4 60	2 67	P 60	9 10	100
Orange	2,179	105	10	2,232	108	10	-	8.0	75	7	10	8	12	10	1-	m
Contra Costa	3,238	180	9	2,956	194	7	က	က	157	10	12	2	63	1	9	63
Kern	2,632	165	9	2,530	194	00	63	က	119	6	18	4	13	4	13	NO.
Santa Barbara	966	72	2	966	68	8	-	63	39	10	24	11	-	-	2	1
Sonoma	986	71	7	906	85	10	1	::	23	=	2	m	9	2	ro.	1
Sutter	382	26	2	229	35	15	-	17	25	12	:	!	:	:	;	;
Xuba-	288	21	2	270	40	15	:	: *	12,	13	1;	10	1;	1	1;	!
Fresno	2,892	239	20 0	2,823	257	500		- 0	199	13	14	N •	=	*	4.	90
San Luis Obispo	034	40	0 0	451	000	0 5	- 14	0 1	20	12	4 10	# 0	; 6	100	- 14	N 6
Tehama	195	16	000	171	18	2 =	,	1	5 00	00	4	201	,	1	4	21
Yolo	374	31	90	339	20	9	63	14	28	13	;	:	:	:	-	00
Lake	128	12	6	121	13	11	;	1	00	13	4	13	;	1	;	;
Monterey	1,111	104	6	1,352	109	00	9	16	28	15	00	4	6	9	က	ಣ
Sacramento	2,902	260	ø	2,603	206	00	8	*	192	13	12	c3	20	9	33	13
San Bernardino	3,098	272	6	2,740	287	10	:	;	186	13	51	~	15	*	20	1
Santa Crus	588	51	6	565	24	01	63	=	4	15	4	4	-	-	က	-
Del Norte	86	10	9	83	24	58	:	1	00	13	-	9	1	1	-	0
Napa	376	38	9	305	25	00	-	=	90	17	*	*	60	00	:	:
Nevada	163	16	9	161	21	13	:	11	15	15	::	:	:	1	-	0
San Joaquin	1,597	159	25	1,741	787	*:	90	3:	124	9	27 9	, 0	x 0 c	*	30 0	9
Ventura	1,172	110	2	1,120	100	01	0	70	3	21	77	0		4	,	>

TABLE 4—Continued

NUMBER OF CREDENTIALED PERSONNEL EMPLOYED IN EACH CALIFORNIA COUNTY, WITH PER CENT EMPLOYED ON THE BASIS OF EMERGENCY CREDENTIALS, OCTOBER 31, 1952

		1952			1921			Z	Number and per cent of personnel employed on the basis of emergency credentials, 1952	nber and per cent of personnel employed the basis of emergency credentials, 1952	cent of	personr y crede	el empl	oyed on 952		
County	Total number creden-	Total employed on	Per cent of total personnel employed	Total number creden-	Total employed on	Per cent of total personnel employed	Kindergarten primary	ary	General	eral ıtary	General	eral dary	Special	ial lary	In nonteaching fields	each-
	personnel employed	emergency credentials	on emergency credentials	personnel employed	emergency credentials	on emergency credentials	Num- ber	Per	Num-	Per	Num- ber	Per	Num- ber	Per	Num- ber	Per
Glenn	166	18	11	157	11	7	;	;	15	16	61	9	1	1	1	10
Placer	440	47	11	747	63	00	:	1	41	18	01:	01;	63	rO	67	10
Plumas	1.490	170	==	151	204	11	1	103	142	21	17	I 10	110	; 69	i ro	; 69
San Benito	137	15	11	136	16	12	-	ž i	11	16	4	13	1	1	1 1	* (
Tulare	1,624	181	11	1,603	220	14	4	10	151	17	1 00	m 0	2	a	11	x 0 0
Mendocino	285	325	2 2	59	16	27	: :	1 1	26	15	- 1-	110	2	11	1	0 :
Stanislaus	1,311	157	12	1,197	204	18	5	9	126	20	9	63	12	2	11	11
Imperial	282	92	13	200	59	12	03	18	63	19	-	9	1.9	10	4	1
Shasta	461	09	13	448	114	16		14	00 00 10 10	22	1 00	n &	- u:	NŒ	1	1
Invo	124	19	15	146	29	20	1)	11	16	10	17	63	20	-	10
Amador	110	18	16	130	40	31	1 0	;	13	24	4	14	-	œ	1	8 6
Colusa	127	21	17	138	34	25	1	1	19	200	15	: 0	10	13	01.0	133
Kings	549	96	17	520	200	2 12	1	1 7	9 15	220	10	D 00	N	ď	× -	20
Marinosa	57	10	18	61	20	33	;	1	œ	22	9 8	1	1 1		61	40
El Dorado	175	34	19	169	34	20	1	17	53	27	1	4	5	14	-	9
Lassen	214	41	19	209	43	21	67	40	53	26	2	13	23	12	-	r.
Tuolumne	128	24	61	102	23	8 8	10	10	24	680	i Q	10	100		101	91
Medec	003	10	06	000	33	000	•	24	16	50	0		9 65	20	!	:
Calaveras	92	19	21	103	17	17	;	1	15	26	1	9 9	63	25	63	22
Mono	24	9	25	20	2	35	1	1	4	33	67	33	1	1	9	9
Trinity	56	15	27	52	15	29	1	1	14	39	-	1	1	1	-	17
Alpine	8	-	33	4	23	20	1	1	- :	33	10	1 0	1	1 6	1 4	;
Madera	191	59	37	441	69	16	:	-	44	34	50	20	-	90	0	90
Total	93,263	5,407	9	88,290	6,148	7	212	rO	3,884	10	523	61	362	ಣ	426	ro

2. Reports from Placement Bureaus

The 36 placement bureaus maintained by accredited teacher-education institutions of the state, together with the placement bureaus of the Los Angeles and San Francisco offices of the California Teachers Association, were asked to indicate (1) the number of certificated persons placed during the period October 1, 1951, to September 30, 1952, (2) the number of requests for such persons, and (3) the number of certificated persons unplaced. Table 5 summarizes their reports. They were also asked to indicate, on the basis of these factors, the fields in which the demand for certificated persons seemed to be critical, those in which the supply and demand seemed to balance, and those in which there seemed to be an oversupply of applicants.

According to the placement bureaus, demand exceeded supply for certificated persons to teach in kindergarten-primary grades or all elementary grades and in the fields of administration; health and development; secondary school teaching of mathematics, homemaking, industrial arts, vocational arts, Latin, librarianship, girls' physical education, business education, music, physical science, and English; special education, including instruction of the blind, the deaf, the partially sighted, and the mentally retarded, lip reading for the hard-of-hearing, and correction of speech defects; and special subject supervision.

For the fifth consecutive year, studies of these reports and of reports from county superintendents of schools showing the proportion of certificated persons employed on emergency credentials have shown a shortage of teachers in the elementary grades and in certain fields in the secondary schools including homemaking, librarianship, girls' physical education, vocational arts, and education of exceptional children. An oversupply of candidates was available for employment in junior college teaching and in secondary school teaching in the fields of French and German. In the fields of social studies and boys' physical education, there was an oversupply of teachers each year for the past five years. There is now reported to be a supply of teachers equal to the demand in these fields.

In last year's estimate of supply-demand relationships for the 1952-53 school year, an oversupply of approximately 2,500 candidates for secondary credentials was predicted. The oversupply did not materialize, and it was necessary again to issue a large number of emergency general secondary credentials. In an effort to determine why a shortage developed so rapidly, placement officers in teacher-education institutions were requested to submit reports on follow-up studies of the 1952 candidates for credentials. These reports showed that 52.3 per cent of the candidates for secondary credentials and 26.6 per cent of the candidates for elementary credentials who completed work in June did not accept or were not placed in positions in the public schools of California in Sep-

TABLE 5

NUMBER OF PLACEMENTS MADE, NUMBER OF APPLICANTS UNPLACED, AND NUMBER OF REQUESTS RECEIVED BY PLACEMENT BUREAUS, OCTOBER 1, 1951, TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1952, ACCORDING TO TYPES OF CREDENTIALS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SERVICE

	appli	ber of cants ced	appl	ber of icants laced	Number of
Type of credential	Holders of regular or provisional creden- tials	Holders of emer- gency creden- tials	Holders of regular or provisional creden- tials	Candidates for emer- gency creden- tials	requests for certif- icated per- sonnel
IN TEACHING FIELDS:					
Kindergarten-primary	566	49	31	2	6,024
Provisional kindergarten-primary	4 000	283	3 410	52	{
General elementary Provisional general elementary	4,062 51	283	2	32	30,931
Junior high school	230	1	42	1	613
General secondary (total)	3,242	28	821	44	14,275
Agriculture major	10		2		68
Art majorBusiness education major	120 187	1	52 44	2 3	483 1,054
Conservation of natural resources	187	1	44	0	1,004
English major	584	8	104	9	2,746
Health education major	1		3		7
Homemaking major	36	2	7	3	858
Industrial arts major	56	1	12	1	783 212
Language arts major Language major	52		3		214
French	54		28	3	79
German	12		13	1	13
Latin	20	1	12		118
SpanishLibrarianship major	158	2	48		430 203
Life science and general science	237		68	3	666
Mathematics major	222	1	62		1,276
Music major	119	2	39	1	726
Physical education (men)	365	1	61	2	758
Physical education (women)	88 121	4	11	3	1,123
Physical science and general science Social studies major	698	3	34 180	13	583 1,869
Speech arts major	7		4		69
Speech major	90	2	26		143
Special secondary (total)	1,487	15	370	1	3,922
Agriculture, vocational	47	1	6		43
Agriculture, limited	151		95		210
Blind	2				15
Business education	122	1	35		391
Deaf	6		3		64
Homemaking	179	1	28	1	538
Industrial arts Industrial arts, limited	257	2	40		616 10
Lip reading	2				8
Mentally retarded	45	1	7		519
Music	263	1	66		581
Nursing education	6		1		55
Partially sighted Physical education (men)	160		60		181
Physical education (men)	178	4	14		509
Speech arts	14		5		15
			9		154
Speech defects	48		0 [
Speech defects Vocational arts					5
Speech defects	78	-ī	79		

TABLE 5—Continued

NUMBER OF PLACEMENTS MADE, NUMBER OF APPLICANTS UNPLACED, AND NUMBER OF REQUESTS RECEIVED BY PLACEMENT BUREAUS, OCTOBER 1, 1951, TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1952, ACCORDING TO TYPES OF CREDENTIALS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SERVICE

	appli	ber of cants ced	appl	iber of icants laced	Number of
Type of credential	Holders of regular or provisional creden- tials	Holders of emer- gency creden- tials	Holders of regular or provisional creden- tials	Candidates for emer- gency creden- tials	requests for certif- icated per- sonnel
In Nonteaching Fields:					
Elementary supervision	78		2		278
Secondary supervision	26		2		109
Special subject supervision			1		73
Elementary administration		1	32		627
Secondary administration			11		248
General administration Child welfare and supervision of attend-	162		24		209
ance	13				46
Health and development (school nurse)	6		5		171
Librarianship	33		8	1	227
School psychologist	27		8	1	76
School psychometrist	14		7		33
Total (in nonteaching fields)	796	1	103	2	2,097
GRAND TOTAL	10,519	378	1,861	102	58,488

tember, 1952. Of the total number of those who completed requirements, 60.9 per cent only entered teaching. This condition appears to be general. For example, only 40 per cent of the college graduates with teaching credentials in Washington 4 entered teaching and approximately 50 per cent in Texas.5

Heads of placement offices in teacher-education institutions gave the following reasons for the fact that the anticipated oversupply of 2,500 secondary school teachers did not materialize last year in California. These are listed in order of importance.

- 1. Many persons who prepared for teaching accepted higher paying positions in business and industry.
- 2. Many apparently did not intend to teach in the public schools. This number includes young women who planned to marry and devote full time to homemaking, students who planned to teach in private schools, those who planned to take additional graduate work before teaching, and those who were subject to military service.

⁴ Letter from Wendell C. Allen, Assistant Superintendent in Charge of Teacher Education and Guidance Services, Washington State Department of Education, to James C. Stone, Specialist in Teacher Education, California State Department of Education, February 9, 1953.

⁸ "Must We Recruit Teachers?" Austin, Texas: Research Division, Texas State Teachers Association, October, 1952, 12 pp. (mimeographed).

3. Many were available for employment only in specified places and accepted other employment rather than move to a community where a teaching position was available. This was especially true of married couples and those planning to marry when one of the couple was attending college or employed in a particular place.

4. A number of men who qualified for secondary credentials and who wished to become administrators in the shortest time possible decided to enter the elementary field in teaching, as the opportunities in administration in the elementary

field are greater.

Placement office records for the year 1952-53 showed that 1,963 of the applicants for positions were not placed. Of these, 1,861 held regular credentials. The remaining 102 wished to secure positions on emergency credentials. The reasons for failure to place applicants are shown in the following tabulation:

338 were not willing to accept positions located outside of certain limited geographic areas

323 accepted positions outside the teaching profession

203 decided to continue their professional training
 134 were not well recommended, by reason of emotional instability or undesirable personality or character traits

132 were prepared in fields in which there was an oversupply

118 married or were married already and preferred homemaking in preference to teaching

114 entered military service

99 were rejected as too old or too young for positions open

79 were weak in professional preparation

74 were rejected because of race or religious creed

14 decided to travel 9 moved out of state

8 were rejected because of physical defects or other health factors

318 were listed by placement offices under the heading "no report available," or "miscellaneous"

3. Additional Certificated Personnel Needed

On the basis of estimates of enrollment supplied by the Division of Budgets and Accounts of the State Department of Finance, it is estimated that, because of increased enrollment, California will need 5,216 additional certificated persons in the school year 1953-54, an increase of 1,137 over the number of newly certificated persons needed during the current year. This increase is the result of the continued growth in school enrollments. On October 31, 1952, the total enrollment in all regular grades showed an increase of 7.0 per cent over that of October 31, 1951. The increase for the preceding three years beginning with 1949 and ending with 1951 was 8.6 per cent, 4.6 per cent, and 8.3 per cent. It is estimated that the increase in school enrollment for 1953-54 in kindergarten through grade eight will be 7.6 per cent ⁶ and in grades nine through fourteen,

⁶ The effect of the change in the lawful school entrance age from four years six months to four years nine months will be to increase sharply kindergarten enrollment next year. Henry W. Magnuson. "Enrollment in Caifornia Public Schools, October 31, 1952," California Schools, XXIV (February, 1953), 46.

6.6 per cent. The estimate made last year of the probable increase in secondary school enrollment for the year 1952-53 was 3.7 per cent, approximately half of the estimated increase for the coming year. As of October 31, 1952, the actual enrollment increase for grades nine through fourteen was 6.7 per cent.⁷

According to present estimates, 13,316 additional certificated persons will be needed next year, including 8,100 to replace those now teaching who, as indicated by data supplied by the State Teachers' Retirement System, will probably not be teaching next year. Approximately three-fourths of the total number will be needed in the elementary grades and the remaining one-fourth in the secondary grades, as shown in Table 6.

TABLE 6
ESTIMATE OF NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL NEEDED, BY SCHOOL LEVEL, 1953-54

Level -		ement of thos om the professi		Because of increased	Total
Devel	By death	By retirement	By resignation	enrollment*	Total
Elementary school	250 250	800 800	4,800 1,200	3,739 1,477	9,589 3,727
Total	500	1,600	6,000	5,216	13,316

^{*} Estimates of enrollment increase are based on figures supplied by Carl Frisen, Research Technician for Population Studies, Bureau of Budgets and Accounts, California State Department of Finance, using a pupil-teacher ratio of 34 to 1 for elementary and 25 to 1 for secondary.

The State Teachers' Retirement System estimates that 6,000 persons will resign or withdraw on leaves of absence this year, that 1,600 will retire, and that death will take 500 more. It was estimated that 5,000 would resign or withdraw on leaves of absence last year. Actually, 4,798 resigned. The anticipated number of resignations this year is one thousand more than the number anticipated last year.

The number of persons to retire this year is estimated to be the same as last year. The 1951-52 study indicated that 1,600 teachers would probably retire. Actually, 1,471 retired. Officials of the State Teachers' Retirement System expressed the opinion that many teachers eligible for retirement continue to teach because, under present conditions, retirement payments do not meet increased living costs. A large number of these teachers will reach the age of 65 before next fall, or have already reached that age. After reaching age 65, teachers no longer have tenure, but many continue to teach since retirement is not mandatory. If there should be a decrease in the cost of living, no doubt a larger number of teachers will

⁷ Ibid., 47.

retire. In terms of numbers, such an eventuality would affect elementary school and secondary school teaching groups about equally, since elementary teachers are more numerous but secondary teachers are an older

age group.

The estimated number of replacements needed because of deaths among teachers now in service is higher than in previous years. A hundred more certificated persons than predicted died last year, that is, a total of 450 rather than 350. A factor in estimating the number of resignations for the year 1953-54 is the expected increase in the proportion of persons serving on emergency credentials. Records in the office of the State Teachers' Retirement System indicate that there is a large turnover of teachers in this group, many of whom are apparently not planning to make a career of teaching.

The number of teachers returning to teaching in California has been reported by county superintendents of schools as 4,124 in 1950; 3,459 in 1951; and 5,483 in 1952. The number who return each year has been approximately equal to 85 per cent of the number who resigned or with-

drew on leaves of absence during the previous year.

A number of teachers with regular credentials and with one to three years of teaching experience are resigning each year because of the fact that beginning teachers are often given larger classes and more exacting extracurricular assignments than experienced teachers. There is, however, evidence in reports of county superintendents of schools that the number of teachers who resign is balanced by the number who return to teaching.

An investigation carried on during the past four years by the Division of State Colleges and Teacher Education and the State Teachers' Retirement System has revealed various reasons for withdrawal from the profession before eligibility for retirement. The reasons are shown in the answers to a questionnaire returned by teachers who withdrew their retirement contributions. The questionnaire asked for information on the amount and kind of teaching experience, type of credential held. age, sex, and reason for withdrawing from teaching. Of the 2.245 replies received. 71.5 per cent were from women and 28.5 per cent from men. The last year of teaching named in 8.6 per cent of the replies was 1948-49; in 7.7 percent, 1949-50; in 13.9 per cent, 1950-51; in 67.6 per cent, 1951-52; and in 2.2 per cent, 1952-53. Of those replying, 70.6 per cent held regular credentials, 26.1 per cent emergency credentials, and 3.3 per cent provisional credentials. Approximately 53 per cent were elementary teachers and two-thirds of these had taught in kindergarten-primary grades. The amounts of teaching experience of these people also varied. One to three years of teaching experience were reported by 34.7 per cent, of whom 50.1 per cent had taught in California; and 17.9 per cent had had ten years of teaching experience. Tabulation of the ages of the persons replying showed that 12.4 per cent were between 21 and 24 years of age, 31.2 per cent between 25 and 29 years, 20.4 per cent between

30 and 34 years, and 13.5 per cent between 40 and 50 years of age. The reasons most frequently given for leaving the profession were maternity. 19.2 per cent; moving out of the state, 15.0 per cent; marriage, 13.0 per cent; inadequate salary, 11.5 per cent; and entering other occupations, 7.8 per cent. This is the fourth consecutive year in which the three most frequently stated reasons have been the same, and in the same order of frequency.

In a somewhat similar study made in Ohio, the principal reasons for resigning were reported as follows: Marriage, 17 per cent; entering business and industry, 16 per cent; teaching in another state, 9 per cent; retiring, 9 per cent; and entering the Armed forces, 5 per cent.8

A study in New Jersey showed that 19 per cent of the men who left teaching entered business and industry, and 29 per cent of the women left in order to marry and assume home duties.9 The withdrawal rate is relatively high in those states where salaries are low and living conditions are unsatisfactory. This rate tends to be higher among elementary than among secondary teachers and higher among women than among men. Nation-wide, the replacement rates for withdrawals are 7 per cent for elementary teachers and 5 per cent for secondary teachers. 10 For the past five years, the proportion of teachers employed each year to replace those withdrawn from the profession in California has been higher than the national average-13 per cent in elementary schools and 6 per cent in secondary schools. The follow-up study made by the Division of State Colleges and Teacher Education of teachers withdrawing from the profession in California is being continued into its fifth year.

THE SUPPLY OF CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

What are the sources of supply from which California may obtain the 13,316 certificated persons who will be needed to fill vacancies when school opens next fall? The principal sources of supply are (1) students in California teacher-education institutions who are candidates for credentials this year, (2) teachers trained in out-of-state teacher-education institutions, (3) persons not now teaching who formerly taught or prepared for teaching, and (4) emergency teachers.

1. Graduates of California Teacher-Education Institutions

Fach of the 36 accredited teacher-education institutions in California was asked to estimate the number of candidates for credentials expected to complete preparation during the calendar year 1953. The estimated

⁸ Harold J. Bowers, Teacher Certification in 1951: A Statistical Summary of Teacher Supply and Demand. Columbus, Ohio: Ohio State Department of Education, 1951, p. 6.

⁹ Frederick M. Raubinger, "The Demand and Supply of Teachers, 1952-1953," Research Report Number 121. Trenton, N. J.: Division of Higher Education, New Jersey State Department of Education, February, 1953 (mimeographed), p. 5.

¹⁰ Effect of Defense Program on Employment Situation in Elementary and Secondary School Teaching, Supplement to Bulletin 972. Washington 25: U. S. Department of Labor, August, 1951,

number is shown in Table 7, which gives the number of candidates completing preparation in teacher-education institutions, 1953, by type of credential and method of application.

The total number of candidates for credentials expected to complete training during the calendar year 1953 is 7,999,¹¹ a decrease of 1,668, or 17.3 per cent, from the total number reported in 1952 in preparation and a decrease of 20.8 per cent from the total number reported in 1951. Of the 7,999 new candidates, 1,196 intend to enter administration, supervision, or other nonteaching positions, and 6,803 are expected to qualify for credentials authorizing them to teach. Of this number, 3,794 are expected to qualify for elementary teaching credentials and 3,009 for secondary teaching credentials. Nearly 13 per cent fewer elementary teachers, and 27.5 per cent fewer secondary teachers, are being prepared in 1953 than in the previous year.¹²

A study of the data in Table 7 indicates that over three-fourths are preparing to serve in fields in which there is a critical shortage of trained persons and indicates a significant shift in the number of persons preparing for credentials of the various types. A comparison of the data for 1952 and 1953 shows a general decrease in the number of persons preparing to qualify for most of the several types of credentials. There were increases in the number preparing to qualify for the general secondary credential with majors in art, industrial arts, and music and for the special secondary credentials for teaching the blind and the mentally retarded, and teaching girls' physical education. The increases in numbers of candidates preparing in the fields where shortages exist, are summarized in the following tabulation from data given in Table 7.

Type of credential	Percentage of increase in number of credential candidates, 1953,
General secondary	compared to 1952
Art	30.6
Industrial arts	10.3
Music	22.8
Special secondary	
Physical education (women)	13.3
Blind	14.3
Mentally retarded	17.6
Elementary administration	20.1
Child welfare and supervision of attenda	nnce 147.4
School psychologist	15.6

The data in Tables 5 and 7 were used as a basis for concluding that the following developments may be expected during the school year 1953-54.

¹¹ Includes candidates who may already hold other valid California credentials.

¹² Comparable data for the 1952 study listed 4,355 elementary teaching candidates prepared and 4,151 secondary teaching candidates; James C. Stone, "Supply of and Demand for Certificated Personnel in California Public Schools, 1952, With Forecast for 1957," California Schools, XXIII (July, 1952), p. 324.

TABLE 7

NUMBER OF CANDIDATES FOR CREDENTIALS EXPECTING TO COMPLETE TRAINING IN 1953, AS REPORTED BY TEACHER-EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS ACCORDING TO TYPES OF CREDENTIALS AND METHOD OF APPLICATION

	State B	es who expect to Board of Educati Credentials, 1953	ion for	Percentag of
Type of credential	On recom- mendation of institution	By direct application	Total	increase or decrease compare with 195
REPARATION IN TEACHING FIELDS:				
Provisional kindergarten-primary		2	2	same
Kindergarten-primary	381	117	498	-9.
Provisional general elementary		35	35	-56
General elementary	2,778	481	3,259	-12
Junior high school	70	59	129	—18
General secondary (total)	1,232	293	1,525	-18
Agriculture major	1	3	4	*
Art major	79	15	94	+30
Business education major Conservation of natural resources	67	21	88	-10
	140	1	1	
English major	148	38	186	-29
Homemaking major	9	1 6	15	-31
Industrial arts major	23	9	32	+10
Language arts major	29	5	34	*
Language major (total)	67	16	83	20
French	11	6	17	-10
German	3	2	5	-28
Latin				-100
Spanish	53	8	61	-01
Librarianship major	1		1	*
Life science and general science	103	26	129	-13
Mathematics major	56	10	66	-21
Music major	76	21	97	+22
Physical education (men)	95	31	126	-34
Physical education (women)	44	10	54	+08
Physical science and general science	51	12	63	03
Social studies major	334	63	397	07
Speech arts major	6	1	7	*
Speech major	36	4	40	-48
Special secondary (total)	978	303	1,281	-36
Agriculture, vocational	35	2	37	-22
Art	5 123	9	132	-31
Blind	5	3	8	+14
Business education	41	5	46	-33
Deaf	5	2	7	same
Homemaking	99	5	104	-23
Industrial arts	180	10	190	1
Industrial arts, limited		3	3	}—18.
Lip reading	19	10	29	same
Mentally retarded	41	113	154	+17
Music	103	18	121	-33
Nursing education	7	1	8	*
Partially sighted	5	4	9	same
Physical education (men)	118	25	143	-29
Physical education (women)	100	11	111	+13.
Speech arts	23	3	26	-13
Speech defects	43	14	57	_35.
Vocational arts Class A	25	63	88	-80.
Vocational arts Class B.	33	41	3 74)
Junior college	33	41	74	-31
	5,472	1,331	6,803	20.

TABLE 7—Continued

NUMBER OF CANDIDATES FOR CREDENTIALS EXPECTING TO COMPLETE TRAINING IN 1953, AS REPORTED BY TEACHER-EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS ACCORDING TO TYPES OF CREDENTIALS AND METHOD OF APPLICATION

	State I	es who expect to Board of Educat Credentials, 1953	ion for	Percentage of increase
Type of credential	On recom- mendation of institution	By direct application	Total	or decrease compared with 1952
Preparation in Nonteaching Fields:				
Elementary supervision	38	15	53	-24.3
Secondary supervision	24	10	34	+06.3
Special subject supervision	10	14	24	-17.2
Elementary administration	348	82	430	+20.1
Secondary administration	216	68	284	-11.8
General administration	67	33	100	-26.5
Child welfare and supervision of attendance.	32	15	47	+147.4
School psychologist	24	28	52	+15.6
School psychometrist	111	31	142	-05.3
Librarianship	23	7	30	+50.0
Total (in nonteaching fields)	893	303	1,196	+03.0
GRAND TOTAL	6,365	1,634	7,999	-17.3

^{*} Comparable data for last year is not available.

- 1. A balance of supply of and demand for teachers of academic subjects in the junior colleges, or foreign languages in the secondary schools, of agriculture and art, and in secondary school administration and supervision.
- A shortage of teachers in all teaching fields in the secondary grades except those fields mentioned above and a continuing critical shortage of teachers in the elementary grades and in classes for exceptional children.

Previous surveys showed that the number of candidates for the general secondary credential was increasing and the number qualifying for special secondary credentials was decreasing. Predictions for this year indicate that the number of candidates expecting to qualify for the general secondary credential is 1,525, a decrease of 18.6 per cent, and the number of candidates expecting to qualify for special secondary credentials is 1,281, a decrease of 36.3 per cent.

Two-thirds of the candidates reported are being prepared in statesupported colleges and universities and the remaining one-third in private institutions. More specifically, 45.7 per cent of the candidates are being prepared in the 10 state colleges, 21.4 per cent on four campuses of the University of California (Berkeley, Davis, Los Angeles, and Santa Barbara), and 32.9 per cent in 22 private colleges and universities. Of the total of 7,999 candidates, 4,346, or 54.3 per cent, are being prepared in colleges and universities located in the Los Angeles area.

The state colleges report that 3,659 candidates expect to complete requirements for credentials in the calendar year 1953. This is 8.7 per cent less than the number predicted for 1952, a decrease of 350 candidates. The University of California reports that 1,706 candidates expect to complete requirements for credentials in the calendar year 1953. This is 27.3 per cent less than the number predicted for 1952, a decrease of 642 candidates. Private institutions report that 2,634 candidates expect to complete requirements for credentials in the calendar year 1953. This is 20.3 per cent less than the number predicted for 1952, a decrease of 671 candidates.

Since the state colleges were established originally as teacher-education institutions, it is not surprising to find that more candidates for credentials are prepared in these than in other institutions. The annual report for the school year ending June 30, 1952, issued by the Division of State Colleges and Teacher Education, 18 shows that 7,358 persons were graduated from the state colleges and that 3,172, that is, 43 per cent, qualified for credentials. This is an increase of 547, or 21 per cent, over the number of those who qualified for credentials during the year ending June 30, 1951. Comparable data are not available from other institutions.

Table 8 shows the number of candidates being prepared for the various kinds of credentials by each of the 36 institutions accredited for teacher-education. The institutions are listed in order according to the number of candidates enrolled who expect to complete preparation during the calendar year 1953. San Francisco State College is first, with 923 candidates, followed by the University of Southern California with 897, the University of California (Los Angeles) with 845, San Jose State College with 643, University of California (Berkeley) with 566, Los Angeles State College of Applied Arts and Sciences with 484, and Long Beach State College with 398. For the first time in the past five years neither the University of California (Los Angeles) nor the University of Southern California leads the list.

It may be of interest to note that of the two methods of applying to the State Department of Education for a credential—namely, by direct application and by application through a California teacher-education institution which recommends the issuance of the credential—eighty per cent of the candidates for credentials now enrolled in California institutions are completing requirements for credentials to be issued on recommendation of the institution. This is a higher percentage than predicted

¹³ Joel A. Burkman, "Annual Report of California State Colleges, 1952-53." Sacramento 14: Division of State Colleges and Teacher Education, California State Department of Education, 1952 (mimeographed).

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TABLE 8

NUMBER OF CANDIDATES FOR CREDENTIALS COMPLETING TRAINING IN TEACHER-EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS, 1953, BY TYPE OF CREDENTIAL AND METHOD OF APPLICATION

		Per-	Per-							In	teachir	In teaching fields	80									-	n non	In nonteaching fields	g fields		
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		over 1952	over 1951	Rec.	Dir.	Total	Rec.	Dir.	Total	Rec.	Dir.	Total Rec.		Dir.	Total	Rec.	Dir. 7	Total I	Rec. 1	Dir. 7	Total R	Rec. D	Dir. To	Total Rec.	c. Dir.	r. Total	La.
San Francisco State College	923	-2	-15	40		40	380	1	380	10	1	20	115	9	121	96	91	187	1	10	10 1	201	-	107	43	30 7	73
California	897	-16	-31	20	15	65	198	09	258	1	2	40	176	54	230	30	28	28	63	20	22 1	09:	59 2	219	22	81	10
Los Angeles. San Jose State College.	845 643	_38 _22	-42	65	15	76	234	91	325 270	10	2.10	25.8	105	106	211	93	15	174	-	-	14	010	10	27 26 2	22	2 2 2 2	10
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-17	-34	-37	+83	09-	29	3	-39	7	-29	:	-42	-74	-21
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* Other nonteaching fields; i.e., school psychologists, school psychometrist, child welfare and supervisor of attendance, etc.

** Includes provisional.

*** No candidates for credentials.

for 1951 and 1952 and a significantly higher percentage than actually received credentials issued upon recommendation of California institutions during the 1950-51 and the 1951-52 fiscal years.

For the second consecutive year candidates for elementary credentials have outnumbered candidates for secondary credentials. This is heartening to note since the need at this time is greater for teachers in the elementary schools than in the secondary schools. Of the 6,803 candidates who are expected to complete requirements for credentials in teaching fields during the year ending 1953, 55.8 per cent are preparing for elementary credentials. The total number of candidates for elementary credentials is 3,794, a decrease of 12.9 per cent from the number of candidates expected in the previous year, and the total number of candidates for secondary credentials is 3,009, a decrease of 27.5 per cent from expectations of the previous year. This is the first year since World War II in which the number of candidates for elementary credentials has not increased. Figure 2 shows the number of elementary and secondary school teachers being prepared by the institutions accredited for teacher-education in California.

¹⁴ Cf. Table 9, California Schools, XXIII (July, 1952), 331-32.

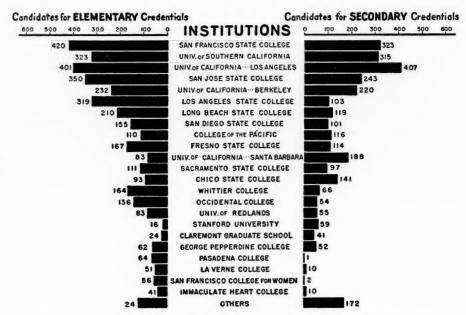


Figure 2. Number of candidates in California teacher-education institutions expecting to complete preparation for elementary and secondary school credentials, 1953.

What will be the relationship of supply to demand for the school year 1953-54? The anticipated supply of 4,277 new certificated persons at the elementary level, as shown in Table 7, includes 500 candidates for the kindergarten-primary credential, 3,294 candidates for the general elementary credential, 53 candidates for the elementary supervision credential and 430 candidates for the elementary administration credential. The anticipated total of 3,351 certificated persons at the secondary level includes 129 candidates for the junior high school credential, 1,525 candidates for the general secondary credential, 1,281 candidates for special secondary credentials, 74 candidates for the junior college credential, 34 candidates for the secondary school supervision credential, 284 candidates for the special subject supervision credential, and 24 candidates for the special subject supervision credential.

The trained personnel needed to serve in the public school system of California, in addition to elementary and secondary school teachers and teachers of adults, administrators, and supervisors, are specialized workers such as psychologists and psychometrists, child welfare and attendance supervisors, nurses, and librarians. To the anticipated total of 4,277 elementary and 3,351 secondary certificated personnel completing training in 1953 should be added 100 candidates for the general administration credential, 142 candidates for the school psychometrist credential, 52 for the school psychologist credential, 47 for the child welfare and supervision of attendance credential, and 30 librarians, making the total of 7,999 candidates who are expected to complete preparation for credentials in 1953.

A comparison of the number of students preparing for elementary and secondary credentials with the number of teachers needed indicates that approximately one candidate is completing preparation in 1953 for an elementary credential for every two teachers needed and that approximately one candidate is completing preparation in 1953 for a secondary credential for every one teacher needed. The apparent discrepancy between these statements and those made elsewhere in this report ¹⁵ about the actual supply of elementary and secondary teachers results from past indications that at least half of those being prepared for teaching will, for some reason, either enter some other field or fail to secure positions.

In spite of the fact that large numbers of candidates are being prepared for elementary school teaching, there is a greater disparity in the relationship between supply of teachers and demand for teachers at that level than in previous years. California institutions trained approximately 70 per cent of the total number of elementary teachers needed in 1951 and 55 per cent of the number needed in 1952. This year these institutions are training only 40 per cent.

¹⁵ Cf. supra, p. 281.

Five candidates for secondary credentials were prepared by California institutions in 1951 for every two positions to be filled and three for every two positions in 1952, that is, 129 per cent more than were needed in 1951 and 34 per cent more than were needed in 1952. The number of candidates for secondary credentials expected to complete training this year is approximately equal to the number of available positions.

It is probable, however, that the actual supply of teachers on both elementary and secondary levels will fall far short of the apparent supply indicated by the total number of candidates completing preparation this year. It is quite possible that approximately the same proportion of persons trained in California institutions and certificated at the end of the year 1953 will fail to secure or will not wish to accept positions in the public schools as during the previous year (see page 291). The estimate of probable supply of and demand for certificated personnel for the school year 1953-54 (see Figure 3) is based on the assumption that all candidates for credentials will actually complete their training, that all of the 5,407 persons now employed on emergency credentials will continue to teach next year either on emergency credentials or on regular credentials, and that all new credential holders will find positions in the public schools of California. This obviously is highly improbable.

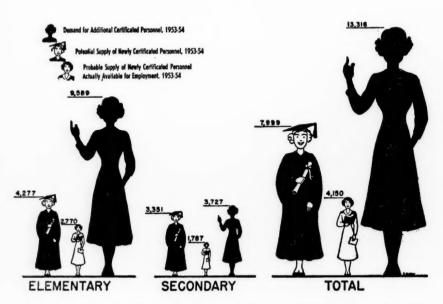


Figure 3. Demand for and probable supply of additional certificated personnel for public school service, 1953-54.

Probable future expectations in the relation of supply of teachers to the demand for teachers are indicated in the information given in Table 9, which shows the number of persons preparing for credentials who will not have completed their preparation at the end of the current school year. The number of candidates preparing for all kinds of credentials. except nonteaching credentials, has decreased. In nonteaching fields the number has increased. The number of students now enrolled in curriculums leading to administration or supervision credentials has increased 75.4 per cent over the number enrolled in 1952. The combined increase in students enrolled in courses leading to credentials authorizing service in other nonteaching fields, including the child welfare and supervision of attendance credential, school psychologist credential, and school psychometrist credential is 402.1 per cent. It is significant that while a general decrease in all parts of the country of 15 per cent in college and university enrollment has been reported,16 total current enrollment in teacher-education curriculums in California shows a decrease of only 8.8 per cent in the last year. However, the decreases of 23 per cent in the number of those now preparing for kindergarten-primary credentials and 32.3 per cent in the number of those now preparing for elementary school teaching are alarming.

Predictions of teacher supply and demand could be nullified overnight by a change in the international situation. A rapid mobilization of men may affect severely the supply of teachers. Of the 7,999 credential candi-

TABLE 9

NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN CALIFORNIA TEACHER-EDUCATION CURRICULUMS, EXCLUSIVE OF THOSE WHO WILL QUALIFY FOR CREDEN-TIALS IN 1953, ACCORDING TO THE TYPE OF CREDENTIAL FOR WHICH THEY ARE PREPARING

Type of credential	Juniors	Seniors	Graduate students	Total	Per cent of increase or decrease compared with 1952
Kindergarten-primary	322	200	76	598	-2 -32 -24 -2 -9
General elementary	1,752	1,109	*384	3,245	-32
Junior high school	44	36	10	90	24
General secondary	846	1,056	1,093	2,995	-2
Special secondary	647	359	192	1,198	-9
Junior college			41	41	73
Administration-supervision			1,628	1,628	+75
Others	37	22	172	231	+402
Total	3,648	**2,782	3,596	***10,026	-9

¹⁶ Raymond Walters, "Statistics of Attendance in American Universities and Colleges, 1952," School and Society, LXXVI, Number 1983 (December 20, 1952).

^{*} Includes 15 part-time students.

** Includes 56 part-time students.

*** Stanford University could not supply figures.

dates completing preparation in 1953, approximately one-half are men (at the secondary level two-thirds are men while at the elementary level approximately one-fourth are men). Since the proportion of men is greater among the candidates for secondary credentials, a more rapid mobilization of manpower for military service could be expected to accentuate the anticipated shortage of secondary school teachers. During the past three-year period, there has been an increase in the number of men preparing for teaching in the elementary grades. This is considered desirable, but it also makes the elementary school teaching force more vulnerable in case of increased mobilization of manpower. It may be of interest to note that the number of war veterans enrolled in colleges and universities, either as degree candidates or as candidates for credentials for public school service is decreasing from year to year. At the present time, veterans constitute one-fifth of the candidates for credentials as compared to one-fourth last year and one-third the year before.

2. Teachers Prepared Out-of-State

Previous studies 17 indicate that approximately one-half of the total number of persons who are granted credentials each year in California are prepared in out-of-state institutions, and this situation is not peculiar to California. 18 Detailed records on the preparation of applicants for credentials supplied by the Credentials Office 19 show that of the 38,005 persons who were granted credentials during the fiscal year 1951-52, 30,038 persons, or 79.5 per cent, had completed four years or more of college work, of whom 29,753 persons held bachelor's degrees. Of these persons, 10,987, or 36.6 per cent, received degrees from out-of-state institutions, as compared to the 40 to 50 per cent of previous years. A total of 4,450 persons had attended college for varying periods of time without receiving degrees, and 1,322 persons, or 29.7 per cent of these, had attended out-of-state colleges or universities.

A total of 16,789 persons who received credentials during the fiscal year 1951-52 had completed varying amounts of graduate work, and 3.467 persons, or 20.4 per cent of these, had completed a part or all of this work in out-of-state institutions. The proportion who have taken graduate work in out-of-state institutions is smaller than the proportion who have completed undergraduate work in out-of-state institutions, probably because of the fact that in many states the full preparation for

18 A study conducted in Wyoming showed that 45 to 49 per cent of its teachers were out-of-state trained. "Teacher Supply and Demand in Wyoming, 1951-52," Educational Problems Series, Bulletin No. 2. Laramie, Wyoming: Bureau of Educational Research and Service, College of Education, University of Wyoming, March, 1952.

19 James C. Stone, "Certification in California Public Schools, 1951-52." Sacramento 14: Division of State Colleges and Teacher Education, California State Department of Education, February 16, 1953 (mimeographed).

^{17 &}quot;Who Is Training California's Teachers?", Seventh Report, Senate Investigating Committee on Education, California Legislature, 1950 Regular Session; James C. Stone, "Certification in California Public Schools, 1949-50," California Schools, XXI (October, 1950), 347-53; "Supply of and Demand for Certificated Personnel in California Public Schools, 1951," California Schools, XXII (May, 1951), 164; "Supply of and Demand for Certificated Personnel in California Public Schools, 1952, with Forecasts for 1957," California Schools, XXIII (July, 1952), 337-38.

teaching at any level is completed in a four-year course, and many teachers who move to California must complete additional requirements in this state.

The order of importance of the various geographic areas of the country in preparing teachers who were granted credentials during the 1951-52 fiscal year may be of interest. Of the 10,987 persons certificated during this period who held bachelor's degrees, 4,803, or 43.7 per cent of the total, had degrees from colleges and universities in the Middle West; 3,042, or 27.7 per cent, from the Far West; 1,537, or 14.0 per cent, from the East; 1,425, or 13.0 per cent, from the South; and 180, or 1.6 per cent, from colleges and universities in the possessions of the United States or in foreign countries. These proportions are almost the same as reported in 1951 and 1952.

California schools have depended on a large influx of teachers prepared in out-of-state institutions in the past, and it is obvious that they will continue to need large numbers of out-of-state teachers until more of California's young people enter the profession. Recruiting teachers for both the elementary and secondary grades will doubtless continue for the next ten years to be one of the critical problems in education. The problem is becoming increasingly critical since other states also report an insufficient supply of teachers.

3. Persons Not Now Teaching Who Are Qualified

Approximately 200,000 persons with valid credentials are listed in the files of the Credentials Office, 93,263 of whom were employed in California schools on October 31, 1952, according to reports of county superintendents of schools. It is possible that a certain number of the approximately 100,000 not now employed in the schools could be attracted to return to the profession if incentives in the way of salary and working conditions could be improved. The rate of return at the present time is approximately 5,000 persons each year.

It may be of interest to note that the reports of county superintendents of schools show that 13,561 of the 93,263 certificated persons employed in California schools on October 31, 1952, had not taught during the previous year. Of these, 8,078 were new teachers in their first teaching positions, and 5,483 were experienced teachers who had returned to teaching after a lapse of at least a year.

4. Additional Emergency Teachers

During the coming year, as in previous years, the supply of teachers will be considerably less than the demand, and the demand will have to be met by employment of teachers prepared out-of-state, of those former teachers and others prepared to teach who are now in other occupations, if they can be persuaded to return to teaching, and of additional emergency teachers. The decreasing number of persons preparing

to teach in California colleges and universities and the increasing shortage of teachers in other states, together with the improbability of attracting in any great numbers to teaching those persons who have given it up for other types of work or for homemaking, all indicate that large

numbers of emergency teachers will be employed.

At this point it should be noted that while the preparation which emergency teachers may have had is substandard in some or many respects in terms of present requirements for regular credentials, a majority of those employed on emergency credentials have had more than two years of college or university preparation. County superintendents of schools reported on October 31, 1952, the following data on the preparation of 4,872 of the 5,407 then employed on emergency credentials:

50.7 per cent (2,471) held a bachelor's degree or had completed preparation beyond that required for a bachelor's degree

16.4 per cent (799) had completed from 90 to 119 semester hours of work

19.1 per cent (930) 60 to 89 semester hours

7.9 per cent (384) 30 to 59 semester hours 3.4 per cent (165) 1 semester hour to 29 semester hours

2.5 per cent (123) 0 semester hours

In the fall of 1953, California again will need to rely heavily at both the elementary and secondary school levels upon teachers with sub-

standard training.

The estimate of 13,316 new certificated persons needed to replace those leaving the profession in California and to fill the additional posts created by increased enrollment does not take into consideration the additional number of fully qualified persons needed to replace 5,407 now employed on emergency credentials. To make such additions and replacements by September, 1953, California will need to recruit 18,723 fully qualified certificated persons.

THE NEED FOR TEACHERS THROUGH 1957-58

Estimates of the number of new teachers needed in the public schools of California each school year from 1953-54 through 1957-58 are based on (1) the number of new teachers needed to make necessary replacements and (2) the number of new teachers needed to meet demands of a probable increase in school enrollment. Each of these factors is discussed in the following paragraphs.

1. Number of New Teachers Needed to Make Necessary Replacements

For the past five annual reports of teacher supply and demand, data have been secured from the State Teachers' Retirement System on the number of new teachers needed each year to replace teachers whose services have been withdrawn as a result of death, retirement, or resignation. Because of the keen competition from business and industry for the services of college trained persons and the comparatively lower salaries and less attractive conditions of employment in teaching, the estimate of replacements for the 1953-54 school year has purposely been made high for the 1953-54 school year. For elementary teachers, the estimated replacement needs are 250 for death, 800 for retirement, and 4,800 for resignation, a total of 5,850. For secondary teachers, the estimated replacement needs are: 250 for death, 800 for retirement, and 1,200 for resignation, a total of 2,250.

2. Number of New Teachers Needed Because of the Probable Increase in School Enrollment

The Division of Budgets and Accounts of the State Department of Finance has made some preliminary estimates of increases in school enrollment based on (1) the increase in birth rate, (2) actual enrollment increases 1947-48 to 1952-53 as compiled by the Bureau of Education Research, State Department of Education, and (3) immigration of schoolage children.²⁰

In considering an estimate of enrollment, it should be kept in mind that if there is considerable change in military or economic activity during the next five years, the pattern of migration would probably be greatly altered as it was during World War II and there would also be a large number of pupils dropping out of school, particularly in grades 10 to 14.

On October 31, 1952, there were 2,056,656 pupils enrolled in California public schools—kindergarten through grade 14, exclusive of adults.²¹ The Department of Finance estimates that by October 31, 1957, there will be 2,797,000 pupils enrolled, an increase of approximately 740,344 or 36.0 per cent. This represents an expected average enrollment increase of approximately 148,069 pupils or 6.3 per cent per year.

It appears, therefore, after an examination of the figures of school enrollment for the period 1947-53 and anticipated enrollment for 1953-58, that the total school enrollment of California will increase more than one million pupils in the ten-year period—that is, from over one-and-a-half million in the year 1947-48 to slightly less than three million in 1957-58. The estimated increases in enrollment in the kindergarten through grade 8, in grades 9 through 14, and in total enrollment for each year of the five school years 1953-54 through 1957-58 are shown in Table 10. In kindergarten and grades through 8, the increase will gradually rise to a peak of 2,061,600 in the school year 1957-58. In grades 9 through 14, a marked increase of enrollment is predicted for the year 1956-57. This sharp rise was predicted in last year's survey and explained as the result

²⁰ Reported by Carl Frisen, Research Technician for Population Studies, Bureau of Budgets and Accounts, State Department of Finance, to the Specialist in Teacher Education, State Department of Education.

²¹ "Enrollment in California Schools, October 31, 1951," California Schools, XXIV (February, 1953), 46.

of the entrance into the high schools of the first wave of pupils that

entered the elementary schools in the peak year of 1948-49.

Computation based on pupil-teacher ratios of 34 to 1 in elementary schools and 25 to 1 in secondary schools results in an estimate of 24,045 new teachers needed for the five-year period from 1953-54 to 1957-58—an average of 4,809 additional teachers each year. As shown in Table 10, new teachers will be needed for the school year 1957-58 in about equal numbers for elementary and secondary schools that is, 2,424 elementary teachers and 2,048 secondary teachers.

TABLE 10

PROJECTED INCREASE IN SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND THE ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NEW TEACHERS NEEDED BECAUSE OF THIS ENROLLMENT INCREASE, 1953-54 TO 1957-58

	Elementa	ary (K-8)	Secondar	ry (9-14)	Total	(K-14)
School year	Enrollment increase	Number new teachers needed	Enrollment increase	Number new teachers needed	Enrollment increase	Number new teachers needed
1953-54	127,122	3,739	36,922	1,477	164,044	5,216
1954-55	118,200	3,476	36,200	1,448	154,400	4,924
955-56	105,300	3,097	38,600	1,544	143,900	4,641
956-57	92,900	2,732	51,500	2,060	144,400	4,792
957-58	82,400	2,424	51,200	2,048	133,600	4,472
Total for five years	525,922	15,468	214,422	8,577	740,344	24,045
Average per year	105,184	3,094	42,884	1,715	148,069	4,809

An estimated total of the number of teachers needed each year as shown in Table 11 was secured by adding the total number of teachers needed each school year because of increased enrollment (Table 10) to the total number of certificated persons presently employed in the public schools of California (Table 1). This estimate is shown in the following

tabulation.	Estimated	Estimated
School Year		Total Number of Teachers Needed
1953-54	2,220,700	98,479
1954-55	2,375,100	103,403
1955-56	2,519,000	108,044
1956-57	2,663,400	112,836
1957-58	2,797,000	117,308

Table 12 shows increases in school enrollment at each grade level during the five-year period from 1948-49 through 1952-53 and expected increases for the coming five years.

TABLE 11

NUMBER OF NEW ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY TEACHERS NEEDED EACH YEAR, 1953-54 THROUGH 1957-58

School year	Elementary	Secondary	Total
1953-54	9,589	3,727	13.316
1954-55	9,326	3,698	13,024
1955-56	8,947	3,794	12,741
1956-57	8,582	4,310	12,892
1957-58	8,274	4,298	12,572
Total for five-year period	44,718	19,827	64,545
Average increase per year	8,944	3,965	12,909

Large enrollment increases at the junior college level are anticipated by the 1960-61 school year. However, the estimate for grades 13 and 14 is at best an approximation, according to the State Department of Finance.²² Junior college enrollment estimates, unlike those for other grades, are more subject to error because of possible changes in draft quotas, changes in economic factors, or a change in the policy of enrolling adults in regular junior college classes. The present session of the Legislature may change the basis for computing enrollments in adult education classes.

TABLE 12

INCREASE IN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT ACTUAL, 1948-1952, AND PROJECTED, 1953-1957

Grades	Actual i 1948	ncrease, -1952	Projected 1953-	
Grades	Number of students	Per cent	Number of students	Per cent
Kgtn	55,902	45.8	17,000	8.2
1-8	311,141	29.7	381,800	26.2
9-12	64,168	17.6	161,500	35.0
13-14	22,597	32.8	16,000	16.7
Kgtn14	453,808	28.3	576,300	26.0

²² The estimates were made by Carl Frisen, Research Technician for Population Studies, State Department of Finance.

3. Total Number of New Teachers Needed-1953-54 through 1957-58

The total number of additional teachers needed, 1953-54 to 1957-58, has been estimated by adding the number needed to replace those who will die, retire, and resign, to the number of new teachers needed each year because of increased school enrollment. The results appear in Table 11. For the next five years, California will need approximately 13,000 new teachers each year-9,000 elementary teachers and 4,000 secondary teachers—a total of approximately 65,000 new teachers during the five-year period. More than two-thirds of these teachers will be needed for elementary schools and slightly less than one-third for secondary schools.

Some of the teachers needed may be supplied from out-of-state sources. Others may be made available through recruiting former teachers, or through emergency certification. However, if these or other sources are not utilized, and the preparation of teachers in California institutions continues at the present rate, there will accrue annually a shortage of approximately 6,000 teachers—5,000 elementary, 1,000 secondary—a total of 30,000 teachers short in the next five years.

CONCLUSION

The data presented in this study on supply of and demand for credentialed personnel show clearly that public education in California faces a serious crisis. On the one hand the supply of teachers being prepared by California teacher-education institutions is declining at an alarming rate. On the other hand the demand for teachers will apparently reach staggering proportions during the next decade. The problem of supplying the teachers needed is complicated by the fact that there is at this time probably less likelihood of securing as many qualified applicants from other states as in the past. Colleges and universities throughout the country report a decline in the number of young people enrolled for teacher education, and the shortage in the supply of qualified teachers is also general throughout the country. Certain conclusions can be drawn from the facts presented.

In the first place, if no remedy can be found for the situation being faced, many children will continue to be taught for perhaps another decade by persons not fully qualified for regular credentials under present regulations; that is, by persons holding emergency credentials. Thus, many of California's children will be taught by teachers who are not fully qualified either by general education or by professional education, or both; whose preparation will range all the way from high school graduation to completion of all requirements with the exception of one or two. The public, and in particular the parents of public school children, should be made aware of the fact that those children who are taught by the less well qualified teachers may not make normal progress nor achieve the expected standards. If we are to protect children from being

taught by unqualified persons, perhaps the emergency credential should be abolished and replaced by a credential which requires a certain mini-

mum of preparation and experience.

In the second place, if we are to have enough fully qualified teachers for our public schools, a greater number of young people must be encouraged to enter the teaching profession. Teachers, parents, and the friends and supporters of public education will need to join forces in a vigorous, active program for the selective recruitment of teachers. Teachers themselves, particularly those in secondary schools, are in a favored position to encourage promising young people to prepare for teaching.

In the third place, if the profession is to attract young people in large numbers, conditions of teaching must be improved and salaries must be raised to a point where they are comparable with salaries in other fields which require equal preparation. It is a well-known fact that those states which pay adequate salaries are able to secure better qualified teachers and to maintain higher standards. High standards and satisfactory working conditions tend not only to attract new teachers but also to hold those already employed and to bring back former teachers to the classroom. It is time for the public and the teaching profession to reaffirm a belief that a child's teacher is the most important single influence in his formal education and that every child should have a qualified teacher.

In recent statements regarding the role of public education as one of

the bulwarks of democracy, President Eisenhower has said:

The American public school is the principal training ground for informed American citizenship; what is taught in the classroom today shapes the sort of country we shall have decades hence. To neglect our school system would be a crime against the future. Such neglect could well be more disastrous to all our freedoms than the most formidable armed assault on our physical defenses. . . . When real peace is achieved—as it surely will be, however distant it may now seem—this will be a nation of better citizens, more conscious of their blessings, more resolute in their responsibilities, more dedicated to their freedoms, if even in these crisis-days we are vigilant that our school system continues to improve in physical facilities, in the calibre of its teaching staff, in education for citizenship. . . . Where our schools are concerned, no external threat can excuse negligence; no menace can justify a halt to progress.²³

All who regard the public schools as an essential bulwark of our democratic way of life should act boldly now. None should fail to exercise his responsibility as a citizen, parent, or teacher in insuring an adequate education for the three million boys and girls who will be filling California's classrooms tomorrow.

^{23 &}quot;Views of Dwight D. Eisenhower on American Education," School Life, XXXV (December, 1952), 33.

REGISTRATION DATA FOR CALIFORNIA INSTITUTIONS OF COLLEGIATE GRADE, FALL, 1952

Compiled by
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For the twelfth consecutive year,¹ enrollment data for institutions of higher learning in the state of California are herein presented. In the following tables may be found the full-time student enrollment figures for each of the state colleges, public junior colleges, private junior colleges, private four-year institutions, and the state university, as of October 31, 1952. In order that the enrollment trend of institutions may be noted, the 1951 figures are listed also. The change in number and percentage from the previous year is listed. In addition, there are included the numbers of freshman students and the numbers of veterans receiving benefits under any of the Veterans Acts, as well as changes in numbers from the preceding year.

The gain of 0.2 per cent in total enrollment after losses of 11.3 per cent in 1951 and 9.5 per cent in 1950 appears significant. This "leveling-off" was accomplished in the face of a 40 per cent drop in the enrollment of veterans and before the veterans of the Korean period have begun to return to school in any great numbers. The demand for manpower by industry and by the armed forces has not subsided, and yet the freshman enrollment in California collegiate institutions in the Fall of 1952 reached the highest point since 1946. The college age group of the present time was born in the middle 1930's, a period when the birth rate was beginning to increase. The rate of migration into California has not diminished, and the incoming families include children who are entering California schools and colleges. It appears from the data at hand that enrollment in California schools and colleges is beginning a period of steady and rapid increase that will persist for several years, the only factor capable of reversing the trend being an extreme national emergency.

¹ See California Schools, XIII (May, 1942), XIV (June, 1943), XV (May, 1944), XVI (June, 1945), XVII (June, 1946), XVIII (March, 1947), XIX (May, 1948), XX (May, 1949), XXI (June, 1950), XXII (March, 1951), XXIII (August, 1952).

SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENTS OF FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN CALIFORNIA COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS, FALL, 1951, AND FALL, 1952

		TOTAL ENROLLMENT	ROLLMENT		FRES	FRESHMEN	VETE	VETERANS
Institutions	Fall, 1951	Fall, 1952	Change in number	Percentage change	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951
State university Blate colleges Public junior colleges Private junior colleges Private junior colleges Private four-year institutions.	34,883 24,160 48,674 620 35,826	33,326 25,162 52,818 621 32,499	-1,557 +1,002 +4,144 -3,327	+++ 44800 7:17:25	5,338 7,157 31,896 348 7,400	+594 +1,149 +2,220 -1	2,691 3,963 4,728 29 6,363	4,373 -1,455 -1,983 -3,705
Total	144,163	144,426	+263	+0.2	52,139	+3,879	17,774	-11,520

ENROLLMENTS OF FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN CALIFORNIA COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS FALL, 1951, AND FALL, 1952, BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION

		TOTAL ENROLLMENT	ROLLMENT		FRES	Freshmen	VETE	VETERANS
Institutions	Fall, 1951	Fall, 1952	Change in number	Percentage change	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951
Berkeley campus. Davis campus. Davis campus. Los Angeles campus. San Francisco campus. Santa Barbars campus. Other campuses.	17,017 1,395 13,398 1,453 1,646 41	15,893 1,390 13,236 1,296 1,543	-1,124 -162 -167 -157 -103 +16	6.6. -11.2.2.4.4.6.6.6.8.3.3.8.5.3.8.5.3.8.5.3.8.5.3.8.5.3.9.0.0.8.5.4.5.5.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0	2,417 475 2,030 416	+287 +99 +159 +49	1,027 157 967 349 191	$\begin{array}{c} -2.248 \\ -277 \\ -1.467 \\ -258 \\ -131 \\ -21 \end{array}$
Total	34,950	33,415	+22		5,338	+594	2,691	4,402
Net total	34,883	33,326	-1,557	-4.5	5,338	+594	2,691	-4,373

* Deduction for students registered at Berkeley or Los Angeles but in attendance elsewhere.

ENROLLMENTS OF FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN CALIFORNIA COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS FALL, 1951, AND FALL, 1952, BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION-Continued

		TOTAL ENROLLMENT	ROLLMENT		Fres	FRESHMEN	VETE	VETERANS
Institutions	Fall, 1951	Fall, 1952	Change in number	Percentage change	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951
Chico State College. Fresno State College. Long Beach State College. Long Beach State College of Applied Arts and Sciences. Sacramento State College of Sarramento State College of Sarramento State College of Sarramento State College of San Francisco State College of San Francisco State College of San Francisco State College of San Jose State College of S	1,161 2,735 599 1,605 1,605 3,946 3,864 3,864 5,972	1,219 2,797 2,797 1,140 2,351 2,351 4,011 6,049	+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +	++1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	473 987 266 266 ** 11,177 1,167 2,073	++95 ++95 ++140 ++189 ++426	221 73 74 214 326 326 658 658 638	-37 -52 -52 -209 -284 -284 -266 -40
Subtotal	21,448	22,301	+853	+4.0	6,143	1	3,324	-1,403
California State Polytechnic College San Luis Obispo San Dimas. California Maritime Academy.	2,208 317 187	2,257 405 199	++49 ++12	+27.8 +6.4	765 165 84	+139 +72 -10	524 109 6	++29
Total	24,160	25,162	+1,002	+4.1	7,157	+1,149	3,963	-1,455

** No lower division maintained.

ENROLLMENTS OF FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN CALIFORNIA COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS FALL, 1951, AND FALL, 1952, BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION-Continued

		TOTAL ENROLLMENT	ROLLMENT		FRES	FRESHMEN	VETE	VETERANB
Institution	Fall, 1951	Fall, 1952	Change in number	Percentage change	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951
PRIVATE FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS Angwin Pacific Union College Arlington: La Sierra College Belmont: College of Notre Dame	795 582 157	536 566 150	-259 -16 -7	-32.6 -23.6 -45.9	198 193 62	150 1120 1121	808	-66 -28
Clarenort Amistoria Conege Clarenort Men's College Pomona College Scripps College La Verne: La Verne College	296 1,019 222 248	307 1,032 212 212	+++ 1 30 30 30 30	+++3. -14.5 -14.5	309 447 55	++++ 484-01	3.0 443 45 3.1 0 453 45	+ 151 + 31
Los Angeles: Los Angeles: Innacoulate Heart College. Innacoulate Heart College. Loyola University of Los Angeles. Maymount College. Mount St. Mary's College. George Pepperdine College. Gluversity of Southen Callege. Wall, Park. St. Partial's Southen	204 498 1,402 92 451 1,200 1,020 9,096	203 406 1,046 120 484 1,246 7,763 7,861		+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +	46 151 293 33 126 314 235 1,148	+ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	44 0 128 131 160 3,425	130 +155 -159 -104 -1054
Oakland: California College of Arts and Crafts College of the Holy Names Mills College.	425 404 615	332 422 640	++ +18 ++18	-21.9 +4.5 +4.1	51 99 236	+ + + 13	124 33 8	111111111111111111111111111111111111111
Pasadena: California Institute of Technology Pasadena College. Redlands: University of Redlands St. May 8: St. Mary's College of California.	1,023 663 1,012 436	1,037 601 1,004 413	+14 -62 -8 -23	+1-0-1 4.4.8.6.	225 280 280 143	-82 -9 +76 +91	102 50 120 	1.84 1.84 1.84
San Diego: California Western University San Diego College for Women	272	59	-213	-78.3	28	+28	44	-103

San Francisco: Gale Francisco College for Women Galden Gate College Heald Engineering College Hack Engineering College Lincoln University of San Francisco San Rafael: Dominican College Santa Barbars: Westmont College Santa Barbars: Westmont College Santo Clara: Santa Clara University Stockton: College of the Pacific Whittier: Whittier College	432 305 264 1.432 287 286 1.084 6.787 970 71	422 2145 2154 1,276 1,276 1,053 6,496 6,496 6,496 6,496 6,496 6,496 6,496		2821118244111 2888211182441111 2888226830082127	169 76 67 45 80 80 105 1,121 187 187 187	++1 + + + + 20021-1-1-4-1-4-1-4-1-4-1-4-1-4-1-4-1-4-1-4	133 121 121 128 245 17 17 17 17 724 110 10	1.00 mm m m m m m m m m m m m m m m m m m
Totals	35,826	32,499	-3,327	-9.3	7,400	8-	6,363	-3,605

ENROLLMENTS OF FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN CALIFORNIA COLLEGIATE INSTITUTIONS FALL, 1951, AND FALL, 1952, BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION—Concluded

		TOTAL ENROLLMENT	ROLLMENT		Fres	Freshmen	VET	VETERANS
Institution	Fall, 1951	Fall, 1952	Change in number	Percentage change	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951	Enrolled in Fall, 1952	Increase or decrease in number compared with Fall, 1951
PRIVATE JUNIOR COLLEGES Deep Springs: Deep Springs Junior College.	20	22	+	+10.0	œ	0		7
Los Angeles College. Los Angeles College. Los Angeles Pacific College. Menlo Park: Menlo School and Junior College. Mountain View: St. Joseph's College.	60 244 243 56	222 272 60	01- 1-19 4+	-16.7 +20.8 +7.8 +7.1	30 20 151 30	+++ +5622 ++502	1222	++++
Oakfand: Holy Redeemer College California Concordia College Rolling Hills: Palos Verdes Junior College San Diego: Brown Junior College San Francisco: Lux College.	6 25 17 129	747 117 90	+++ -30 -30	+16.7 +17.5 +8.0 -30.2	233 119 150 49	1524-1-	11171	1117
Totals	620	621	+1	+0.2	348	7	29	1
Auburn: Placer (junior) College Azusa: Citrus Junior College Bakersheld: Bakersheld (junior) College Bakersheld: Bakersheld (junior) College Buythe: Palo Verde (junior) College Canoga Park: Pierce School of Agriculture (junior college) Compton: Cominga Junior College Compton: Compton Junior College Compton: Compton Junior College Consta Mesa: Orange Coast (junior) College Del Paso Prange Coast (junior) College El Centro: Imperials: Grant Technical (junior) College El Centro: Imperial Stant Technical (junior) College Freno: Fresno Junior College Freno: Fresno Junior College Glendale: Glendale (junior) College	363 158 158 804 804 600 11,508 1,508 10,608 11,508 11,508 11,608	279 2000 2007 473 473 493 658 1183 1183 1183 560 996	+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +	++++ +++ ++++ +++++	164 185 185 185 185 187 187 187 187 188 188 188 188 188 188	+ + 48 + 20 0 - 20 1 - 20 2 - 20 1 - 20 2 -	16 23 23 64 64 479 64 186 286 286 55 64 64 183 183 183 183 183 183 183 183 183 183	12292664 123884 1448884 17381

-27 +5 -580	-280 -598 -172 -12	+++19	+11+ +22	+5.	+++	++15	+ +	7 F F F F F F F F F F F F F F F F F F F	+ 15 + 15	170	+ +	++37 +19 -96	-1,983
	142 403 20 351 27 42	2555 2555 2555	194	.005 6208	39 140 29	143 73 328	200 E	1366	188	52.5	113	38 60 60	4,728
+60 +10 +517		+ + + +	+ 126 + 310 + 67	++ :888	+134 +89	+24 ₉	++1	+103	+391	+10	1+44	++23 +109 +81	+2,220
355 80 2,618	1,229 2,394 375 1,596 260 260	205 169 442 42	1,560 563 116	255 256 941	348 1,303 353	689 680 1,994	581 102 115	702 263 121	960 503	493 64	234 536	377 493 440	31,896
-22.5 +4.9 +14.5	19.7 45.3 45.3 14.1 15.1	+12.7 +28.5 +10.3	+++ +8++ 54.8.3 5.4.8.2	+26.4 -14.3	+ 8:1 - 1 8:3 7:0	+44.4.4	++23.0 ++33.0 ++33.0	+2.8 +34.1 134.1	+54.6 +1.8	-19.1 +2.0	+12.2	++4.4 +22.7 +10.4	+8.5
+23	-1,253 -226 -226 -46 -63	+ 44	+2,217 +27 +27	185	+14e	+260 +248	+++	+ +	+516 +15	187	++++	+134 +54	+4,144
31 469 116 4,252	1,859 3,982 274 1,821 384	353 267 118 686	909 4,845 849	359 414 1,112	463 1,905 535	1,058 845 3,606	127	1,053 473 185	1,461 839	104	321 896	598 724 575	52,818
447 119 3,714	2,315 5,235 500 1,867 447	360 237 165 622	855 2,628 822 156	284 410 1,297	1,759 575	1,127 585 3,358	746 83 116	1,024 523 138	945 824	102	286 869	573 590 521	48,674
Hollister: San Benito County Junior College	Los Angeles: Los Angeles Junior College. Los Angeles City (junior) College. Los Angeles Metropolitan Junior College. Los Angeles Trade-Technical Junior College. Marysville Y Luda (county junior) College. Marysville Y Luda (county junior) College. Modesto: Modesto Junior College.	Monterey; Monterey Pennaula (junior) College. Napas: Napa (junior) College. Oceanside: Oceanside-Carlsbad (junior) College. Ontario: Chaffey (junior) College.	John Muir (junior) College. Pasadena City (junior) College. Pomona: Mount San Anthonio Junior College.	Redding: Shasta (junior) College Reddiey: Reddley (junior) College West (west Contra Costa Junior College	Riverside: Riverside (junior) College. Sacramento: Sacramento Junior College. Salinas: Hartnell (junior) College.	San Bernardino: San Bernardino Valley Junior College San Diego: San Diego Junior College	05 4			ZŬ	Vallejo: Valunor College Vallejo: Valunor College Van Nuys: Los Angeles Valley Junior College	Ventura: Ventura Junior College. Visalia: (innior) College of the Sequoias. Wilmington: Los Angeles Harbor Junior College.	Totals.

ENROLLMENT IN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS, MARCH 31, 1953

Prepared in the BUREAU OF EDUCATION RESEARCH by Henry W. Magnuson, Chief, and Peter J. Tashnovian, Consultant

This semiannual compilation of data on active enrollment in the public schools of California as of March 31, 1953, has been prepared from reports of officials of the school districts.

In Table 1 totals are shown for the State, by sex, for each grade and special classification; in Table 2, a comparison is made with similar data for March 31, 1952; and in Tables 3 to 5 the figures on enrollment are

presented according to grade level, by sex, and by county.

Enrollment in regular grades only, from kindergarten through grade 14, as shown in Tables 2 and 4, increased 134,844, or 7.2 per cent, over the enrollment reported a year earlier. Comparable figures for March 31, 1952, showed an increase of 137,417, or 7.9 per cent, over those reported on March 31, 1951.

Total enrollment in regular grades and special classes was 2,425,722, an increase of 114,761, or 5.0 per cent over the total for March 31, 1952. This increase may be compared to that of 114,371, or 5.2 per cent on March 31, 1952, over the figures reported on March 31, 1951. This smaller rate of increase may be attributed to a lower enrollment in classes for adults, and to an appreciable drop in the rate of increase in the kinder-

garten enrollment.

Even though the kindergarten enrollment is higher than it has ever been on a March survey, the change in the lawful school entrance age from four years six months to four years nine months ¹ is reflected in the lowest rate of increase for any March survey. This influence is also seen in a comparison of the March 31, 1953, kindergarden enrollment figure with that of October 31, 1952. For the first time a March kindergarten enrollment has been larger than an October kindergarten enrollment in the same school year, i.e., 183,552 on March 31, 1953, in contrast to 178,029 on October 31, 1952.

First grade enrollment was 227,813 pupils, or 39,790 pupils higher on March 31, 1953, than on March 31, 1952. This is the highest in California school history and is a normal reflection of last year's kindergarten figure.

The increase in graded enrollment in kindergarten and elementary grades between March 31, 1952, and March 31, 1953, was 7.7 per cent as compared with an increase of 9.2 per cent during the previous year. Enrollment in grades 9 through 12 increased 6.4 per cent between March 31, 1952, and March 31, 1953, as compared with 5.0 per cent during the previous year. Enrollment in grades 13 and 14 in junior colleges increased 1.4 per cent between March 31, 1952, and March 31, 1953, instead of decreasing as it did during the previous year to the extent of 1.7 per cent.

¹ See Education Code Section 8404, amended by Chapter 362, Statutes of 1951.

TABLE 1 SUMMARY OF ACTIVE ENROLLMENT IN CALIFORNIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS MARCH 31, 1953

Grade or class	Male	Female	Total
Graded Enrollment Kindergarten	94,216	89,336	183,5
First grade	118,020	109,793	227,8
Second grade	92,409	86,056	178,4
Chird grade	91,997		170 16
ourth grade	89,616	87,103 85,949	175,56 168,74 147,16
ourth grade ifth grade	85,508	83,232	168,7
ixth grade	74,859	72,241 31,952	147,1
ixth gradeeventh grade in elementary schools	33,994	31,952	65,9 73,7
eventh grade in junior high schools	37,371	36,402	73,7
Sighth grade in elementary schools	32,795 35,924	30,832 35,448	63,6 71,3
			-
Total enrollment, kindergarten through grade eight $_$ $_$	786,709	748,344	1,535,0
linth grade	64,781	61,488	126,2
enth grade	57,772	54,857 45,409	112,6 92,0
leventh gradewelfth grade	46,632 36,735	37,257	73.9
Total enrollment, grades nine through twelve	205,920	199,011	404,9
'hirteenth gradeourteenth grade	27,593 $13,062$	18,678 8,235	46,2° 21,2°
Total enrollment, grades thirteen and fourteen	40,655	26,913	67,50
Total enrollment, kindergarten and grades one			
through fourteen	1,033,284	974,268	2,007,5
nrollment in Special Classes and in Classes for Adults ingraded pupils in elementary schoolsostgraduate pupils in elementary schoolsupils in special day and evening classes in elementary	757 5	283 3	1,04
upils in special day and evening classes in elementary schools	99	112	2
pecial classes for physically handicapped minors:	0.400	0.001	0.00
Elementary schools	3,428 230	2,801 167	6,23
High school level	738	874	1,6
High school level Junior college level	6	8	1,0
pecial classes for mentally retarded minors:	0	0	
Elementary schools	7,756	4,886	12,64
Elementary schools Grades 7 and 8 in junior high schools	891	616	1,50
High school level upils in compulsory continuation classes	1,123	714	1,83
upils in compulsory continuation classes	5,770	2,844	8,61
pecial pupils in regular classes:	1 000	070	0.00
High school level	1,606	676	2,28 16,58
Junior conege level	9,320	7,263	10,00
High school level	124,187	189,438	313,62
Junior college level	25,542	26,027	51,56
mmary of enrollment in special classes and in classes			
for adults: Elementary school level	13,166	8,868	22,03
High school level	133,424	194,546	327,97
High school level	34,868	33,298	68,16
Total enrollment in special classes and in classes for adults	181,458	236,712	418,17
otal, Graded Enrollment and Enrollment in Special			
Classes	1,214,742	1,210,980	2,425,72

TABLE 2

COMPARISON OF GRADED AND SPECIAL CLASS ENROLLMENTS FOR MARCH 31, 1952, AND MARCH 31, 1953

Grade or class	March 31, 1952	March 31, 1953	Increase of between M and Ma	
			Number	Per cent
Kindergarten	180,668	183,552	2,884	1.6
Grade I	188,023	227,813	39,790	21.2
Grade 2	178,310	178,465	155	.1
Grade 3	173,938	179,100	5,162	3.0
Grade 4	166,762	175,565	8,803	5.3
Grade 5	145,539	168,740	23,201	15.9
Grade 6	135,023	147,100	12,077	8.9
Grade 7	133,154	139,719	6,565	4.9
Grade 8	124,163	134,999	10,836	8.7
Total enrollment, kindergarten through grade eight	1,425,580	1,535,053	109,473	7.7
Grade 9	117,305	126,269	8,964	7.6
Grade 10	104,744	112,629	7,885	7.5
Grade 11	87,110	92,041	4,931	5.7
Grade 12	71,313	73,992	2,679	3.8
Total enrollment, grades nine through twelve	380,472	404,931	24,459	6.4
Grade 13	46,854	46,271	-583	-1.2
Grade 14	19,802	21,297	1,495	7.5
Total enrollment, grades thirteen and fourteen	66,656	67,568	912	1.4
Total enrollment, kindergarten through fourteen	1,872,708	2,007,552	134,844	7.8
Special enrollment classifications in elementary schools:				
Ungraded pupils in elementary schools.	1,048	1.040	-8	8
Postgraduate pupils in elementary schools	1,040	1,040	4	100.0
Pupils in special day and evening classes in elementary schools.	161	211	50	31.1
Total, special enrollment classifications in elementary schools_	1,213	1.259	46	3.8
Special classes for physically handicapped minors:	6 794	0 990	-495	-7.4
Elementary schools	6,724	6,229	-27	-6.4
Grades 7 and 8 in junior high schools.			-27 -47	-2.8
High school level	1,659 22	1,612	-8	-36.4
Junior college level		14		
Total, special classes for physically handicapped minors	8,829	8,252	-577	-6.5
Special classes for mentally retarded minors:				
Elementary schools	11,611	12,642	1,031	8.9
Grades 7 and 8 in junior high schools.	1,572	1,507	-65	-4.1
High school level	1,715	1,837	122	7.1
Total, special classes for mentally retarded minors	14,898	15,986	1,088	7.3
Pupils in compulsory continuation classes	7,733	8,614	881	11.4
Special pupils in regular classes:				
High school level	1,761	2,282	521	29.6
Junior college level	11,465	16,583	5,118	44.6
Total, special pupils in regular classes	13,226	18,865	5,639	42.6
Nome for adults:				
Classes for adults:	334.846	212 005	-21,221	0.0
High school level	57,508	313,625 51,569	-21,221 -5,939	-6.3 -10.3
Total, classes for adults	392,354	365,194	-27,160	-6.9
FOTAL, all grades and classes	2,310,961	2,425,722	114,761	5.0
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TABLE 3 GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

	I	Kindergarte	en] 1	First grade		8	second grad	de
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
AlamedaAlpine	6,898	6,421	13,319	7,756	7,336	15,092	5,564	5,422	10,986
Amador	49	60	109	93	82	175	73	71	144
ButteCalaveras	401 25	418 28	819 53	635 84	618 86	1,253 170	562 112	569 86	1,131 198
Colusa	84 3,590	81 3,573	165 7,163	116 4,744	101 4,468	9,217 9,212	114 3,613	70 3,275	184 6,888
Del Norte				144	135	279	117	127	244
El Dorado	67 2,169	77 2,076	144 4,245	164 3,958	131 3,546	295 7,504	127 3,226	135 2,814	262 6,040
Glenn	77	89	166	178	163	341	173	150	323
Humboldt	496	454	950	897	798	1,695	830	733	1,563
Imperial	551 88	530 84	1,081 172	961 132	931 118	1,892 250	794 106	721 87	1,515 193
Inyo Kern	2,197	1,957	4,154	3,152	2,962	6,114	2,621	2,297	4,918
Kings	348 63	336 49	684 112	598 86	539 100	1,137 186	546 111	531 79	1,077 190
Lake	174	155	329	235	209	444	196	148	344
Lassen Los Angeles Madera	37,580 238	35,793 230	73,373 468	42,000 557	39,375 481	81,375 1,038	32,673 428	30,625 447	63,298 875
Marin	887	823	1,710	1,016	993	2,009	725	756	1,481
Mariposa	15	15	30	33	41	74	37	34	71
Mendocino	189	169 507	358 1,026	968	481 835	929 1,803	443 755	425	868 1,530
Merced Modoc	519 48	50	98	106	114	220	97	775 81	178
Mono	1,124	1,075	2,199	19 1,482	13 1,454	32 2,936	15 1,178	10 1,121	25 2,299
Monterey	249	243	492	398	395	793	362	345	707
Nevada	80	79	159	170	152	322	156	127	283
Orange	2,661	2,448	5,109	2,889	2,683	5,572	2,409	2,124	4,533
Placer Plumas	245 95	231 81	476 176	457 167	400 132	857 299	367 151	388 95	755 246
Riverside	1,510	1,437	2,947	2,232	1,990	4,222	1,763	1,618	3,381
Sacramento	3,124	2,904 46	6,028	3,697 131	3,513 133	7,210 264	2,736 115	2,675 96	5,411 211
San Bernardino	2,820 5,732	2,768 5,384	5,588	3,828 7,130	3,518	7,346 13,664	3,045	2,815	5,860 10,154
San Diego	4,165	3,897	11,116 8,062	4,352	6,534 3,928	8,280	5,254 3,168	4,900 2,857	6,025
San Joaquin	1,510	1,510	3,020	2,396	2,172	4,568	1,990	1,816	3,806
San Luis Obispo	471	428	899	669	603	1,272	539	480	1,019
San Mateo	3,130 791	2,936 714	6,066 1,505	3,435 1,032	3,261 1,001	6,696 2,033	2,577	2,429 773	5,006 1,581
Santa Clara	3,035	2.909	5,944	3,946	3,691	7,637	3,079	2,847	5,926
Santa Cruz	491 288	361 270	852 558	588 460	620 454	1,208 914	471 405	452 345	923 750
ierra	15	17	32	38	17	55	23	20	43
Siskiyou	209	209	418	327	307	634	311	280	591
Solano	1,104	1,066	2,170	1,598	1,425	3 023	1,059	1,071	2,130
SonomaStanislaus	679 986	640 952	1,319 1,938	1,135 1,583	1,026 1,427	2,161 3,010	884 1,396	880 1,296	1,764 2,692
Sutter	136	151	287	315	263	578	289	273	562
ehama	127	118	245	204	156	360	186	151	337
rinity	956	907	1.863	1,681	56 1,636	3,317	1,652	35 1,496	81 3,148
Tulare	57	46	103	133	121	254	107	108	215
entura	1,088	998	2,086	1,573	1,330	2,903	1,146	1,038	2,184
Tolo	352 153	346 167	698 320	546 293	485 253	1,031 546	380 295	401 235	781 530
			-						
Total	94,216	89,336	183,552	118,020	109,793	227,813	92,409	86,056	178,465

TABLE 3—Continued

GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

0		Third grad	е	I	Fourth grad	le		Fifth grad	в
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
AlamedaAlpineAmadorButte	5,627	5,284	10,911	5,314	4,986	10,300	5,046	5,148	10,194
	3	1	4	1	3	4	2	2	4
	89	67	156	72	64	136	75	78	153
	636	559	1,195	618	590	1,208	625	595	1,220
Colusa Contra Costa Del Norte El Dorado Fresno	104 108 3,585 106 123 3,020	97 3,399 107 141 2,964	205 6,984 213 264 5,984	92 106 3,313 127 143 3,182	88 3,106 137 156 2,899	176 194 6,419 264 299 6,081	77 115 3,178 113 166 2,937	95 96 2,989 116 110 2,686	211 6,167 229 276 5,623
Glenn	178	139	317	165	160	325	182	147	329
Humboldt	803	753	1,556	778	725	1,503	813	698	1,511
Imperial	739	722	1,461	744	739	1,483	684	633	1,317
Inyo	111	94	205	110	111	221	113	101	214
Kern	2,595	2,467	5,062	2,539	2,463	5,002	2,512	2,333	4,845
KingsLakeLassenLos AngelesMadera	539	536	1,075	545	497	1,042	525	528	1,053
	111	81	192	90	80	170	104	79	183
	187	191	378	191	167	358	189	184	373
	32,848	31,422	64,270	32,082	31,414	63,496	31,438	30,831	62,269
	474	458	932	434	415	849	426	440	866
Marin	787	736	1,523	717	713	1,430	632	678	1,310
Mariposa	38	33	71	39	39	78	41	41	82
Mendocino	470	422	892	445	405	850	436	407	843
Merced	836	727	1,563	731	743	1,474	690	627	1,317
Modoc	84	84	168	95	85	180	75	70	145
Mono	10 1,168 357 155 2,342	11 1,103 335 140 2,223	21 2,271 692 295 4,565	17 1,140 353 161 2,279	11 1,108 322 148 1,982	28 2,248 675 309 4,261	1,045 339 177 1,971	12 1,023 321 160 2,085	21 2,068 660 337 4,056
Placer Plumas Sacramento San Benito	386	391	777	412	362	774	357	340	697
	121	129	250	123	128	251	125	122	247
	1,826	1,652	3,478	1,766	1,601	3,367	1,616	1,599	3,215
	2,934	2,672	5,606	2,714	2,667	5,381	2,610	2,500	5,110
	108	114	222	92	93	185	79	112	191
San Bernardino	2,968	2,813	5,781	3,102	2,894	5,996	2,914	2,773	5,687
San Diego	4,949	4,689	9,638	4,629	4,520	9,149	4,254	4,212	8,466
San Francisco	3,007	2,824	5,831	2,993	2,915	5,908	3,087	2,940	6,027
San Joaquin	2,006	1,868	3,874	1,925	1,827	3,752	1,781	1,754	3,535
San Luis Obispo	541	501	1,042	553	552	1,105	466	469	935
San Mateo	2,313	2,195	4,508	2,351	2,242	4,593	2,155	2,066	4,221
Santa Barbara	797	774	1,571	796	740	1,536	740	704	1,444
Santa Clara	3,110	2,908	6,018	2,982	2,828	5,810	2,708	2,662	5,370
Santa Cruz	485	439	924	487	437	924	437	428	865
Shasta	433	390	823	430	438	868	454	420	874
Sierra	33	17	50	35	24	59	28	20	48
Siskiyou	285	270	555	313	264	577	319	275	594
Solano	1,116	1,011	2,127	979	924	1,903	850	819	1,669
Sonoma	883	863	1,746	906	880	1,786	853	797	1,650
Stanislaus	1,428	1,330	2,758	1,336	1,331	2,667	1,256	1,251	2,507
Sutter	271	290	561	277	257	534	250	248	498
Tehama	167	185	352	194	155	349	177	179	356
Trinity	46	43	89	52	43	95	42	45	87
Tulare	1,688	1,564	3,252	1,650	1,492	3,142	1,512	1,510	3,022
Tuolumne	121	91	212	128	92	220	119	117	236
Ventura	1,068	1,084	2,152	1,088	1,137	2,225	969	953	1,922
Yolo	391	346	737	420	388	808	358	354	712
Yuba	283	269	552	260	278	538	257	250	507
Total	91,997	87,103	179,100	89,616	85,949	175,565	85,508	83,232	168,740

TABLE 3—Continued

GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

County		Sixth grade	8	Ser elen	venth grad nentary sch	e in lools	Se jun	venth grade ior high sch	in ools
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
AlamedaAlpine	4,120	4,089	8,209	1,651	1,615	3,266	2,446	2,499	4,945
Amador	80	73	153	59	60	119			
AmadorButteCalaveras	517 70	483 78	1,000 148	513 81	508 84	1,021 165			
Colusa	105	100	205	81	86	167			
Del Norte	2,738 127	2,587 114	5,325 241	1,102 102	1,018 111	2,120 213	1,296	1,352	2,648
El Dorado	138	154	292	147	120	267			
Fresno	2,692	2,533	5,225	1,452	1,338	2,790	1,082	998	2,080
GlennHumboldtImperial	162 659	154 664	316 1,323	147 422	125 380	272 802	246	227	473
Imperial	692	622	1,314	588	563	1,151	240	221	4/0
Inyo	103	108	1,314 211	90	93	183			
Kern	2,259	2,089	4,348	2,147	2,059	4,206			
Kings	434	439	873	471	451	922			
Lake	104	74 144	178	112	82	194 283	35	31	66
Lassen	174 27,108	26.215	318 53,323	135 6,461	148 6,105	12,566	19,432	18,835	38,267
Madera	421	26,215 366	787	377	322	699		10,000	
Marin	547	446	993	501	456	957			
Mariposa Mendocino	42	32	74	28 208	25 195	53 403	161	163	324
Merced	624	367 612	1,236	431	435	866	224	159	383
Modoc	90	74	164	85	57	142			
Mono Monterey	16	7	23	5	11	16		.==	.==
Monterey	931 285	902 316	1,833 601	542 22	553 18	1,095	281 271	280 227	561 498
Napa Nevada	152	156	308	149	126	275	211		
Orange	1,798	1,754	3,552	1,288	1,252	2,540	392	388	780
Placer	365	318	683 217	310	297	607	21 101	16 89	37 190
Plumas Riverside	117 1,510	100 1,419	2,929	712	612	1,324	779	781	1,560
Sacramento	2,220	2,169	4,389	892	871	1,763	1,150	1,160	2,310
San Benito	97	85	182	60	75	135			
San Bernardino	2,649	2,418	5,067	1,128	1,015	2,143 2,299	1,376	1,397	2,773
San Diego	3,656 2,406	3,753 2,381	7,409 4,787	1,176 224	1,123 243	467	2,317 2,152	2,271 1,989	4,588 4,141
San Joaquin	1,571	1,503	3,074	670	711	1,381	798	735	1,533
	437	465	902	339	298	637	96	115	211
San Mateo	1,770	1,761	3,531 1,289	1,674	1,529	3,203	070	900	704
Santa Barbara	648 2,483	2,314	4,797	256 1,459	251 1,265	507 2,724	378 838	386 839	764 1,677
Santa Cruz	411	392	803	199	184	383	179	208	387
Shasta	399	373	772	396	341	737			
SierraSiskiyouSolanoSonoma	27	25	52	15	19 219	34 482			
Solano	273 786	282 777	555 1,563	263 265	261	526	468	506	974
Sonoma	708	686	1,394	345	336	681	405	350	755
Stanislaus	1,174	1,152	2,326	1,177	1,126	2,303			
Sutter	252 172	250 148	502 320	259 158	229 155	488 313			
Fehama	43	34	77	46	39	85			
Trinity Tulare	1,492	1,431	2,923	1,465	1,298	2,763	43	68	111
l'uolumne	100	101	201	109	100	209			
VenturaYolo	932 314	904 324	1,836 638	454 328	454 284	908 612	404	333	737
Yuba	249	281	530	211	213	424			
		- 11				- 11			

TABLE 3—Continued

GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

County		ghth grade nentary sch			ghth grade or high sch			al, kinderg ugh eighth	
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
AlamedaAlpineAmadorButteCalaveras	1,527 3 74 533 75	1,555 1 78 478 59	3,082 4 152 1,011 134	2,518	2,514	5,032	48,467 18 664 5,040 720	46,869 14 633 4,818 685	95,336 32 1,297 9,858 1,405
Colusa Contra Costa Del Norte El Dorado Fresno	85 1,053 93 136 1,342	88 1,044 97 123 1,302	173 2,097 190 259 2,644	1,342 910	1,184 939	2,526 1,849	914 29,554 929 1,211 25,970	807 27,995 944 1,147 24,095	1,721 57,549 1,873 2,358 50,065
Glenn Humboldt Imperial Inyo. Kern	129 415 563 68 1,999	126 358 504 77 1,880	255 773 1,067 145 3,879	224	212	436	1,391 6,583 6,316 921 22,021	1,253 6,002 5,965 873 20,507	2,644 12,585 12,281 1,794 42,528
KingsLakeLasenLos AngelesMadera	383 85 124 6,229 389	414 83 119 5,857 380	797 168 243 12,086 769	32 18,440	27 18,360	59 36,800	4,389 866 1,672 286,291 3,744	4,271 707 1,523 274,832 3,539	8,660 1,573 3,195 561,123 7,283
Marin Mariposa Mendocino Merced Modoc	439 36 209 464 65	429 31 199 400 74	868 67 408 864 139	174 193	127 164	301 357	6,251 309 3,592 6,435 745	6,030 291 3,360 5,984 689	12,281 600 6,952 12,419 1,434
Mono	17 534 28 144 1,319	17 521 21 149 1,155	34 1,055 49 293 2,474	244 275 349	292 221 399	536 496 748	108 9,669 2,939 1,344 19,697	92 9,432 2,764 1,237 18,493	200 19,101 5,703 2,581 38,190
Placer Plumas Riverside Sacramento San Benito	333 1 697 823 88	279 6 586 830 98	612 7 1,283 1,653 186	23 98 763 1,158	32 99 761 1,163	55 197 1,524 2,321	3,276 1,103 15,174 24,058 827	3,054 986 14,056 23,124 852	6,330 2,089 29,230 47,182 1,679
San Bernardino San Diego San Francisco San Joaquin San Luis Obispo	1,121 1,102 224 745 312	984 1,087 249 643 253	2,105 2,189 473 1,388 565	1,247 2,218 2,246 769 99	1,233 2,189 2,072 867 105	2,480 4,407 4,318 1,636 204	26,198 42,417 28,024 16,161 4,522	24,628 40,662 26,295 15,406 4,269	50,826 83,079 54,319 31,567 8,791
San Mateo Santa Barbara Santa Clara Santa Cruz Shasta	1,555 264 1,348 221 375	1,434 253 1,291 198 356	2,989 517 2,639 419 731	378 768 185	313 793 202	691 1,561 387	20,960 6,888 25,756 4,154 3,640	19,853 6,550 24,347 3,921 3,387	40,813 13,438 50,103 8,075 7,027
SierraSiskiyouSolanoSonomaStanislaus	20 264 269 389 1,135	17 216 242 312 1,082	37 480 511 701 2,217	448 386	409 411	857 797	234 2,564 8,942 7,573 11,471	176 2,322 8,511 7,181 10,947	410 4,886 17,453 14,754 22,418
Sutter Tehama Trinity Tulare Tuolumne	226 190 40 1,374 94	212 155 25 1,356 90	438 345 65 2,730 184	69	52	121 	2,275 1,575 392 13,582 968	2,173 1,402 343 12,810 866	4,448 2,977 735 26,392 1,834
Ventura Yolo Yuba	479 283 263	461 304 194	940 587 457	368	308	676	9,569 3,372 2,264	9,000 3,232 2,140	18,569 6,604 4,404
Total	32,795	30,832	63,627	35,924	35,448	71,372	786,709	748,344	1,535,053

TABLE 3—Continued
GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

	1	Ninth grade		7	Fenth grad	e	El	eventh grad	le
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda	3,893	3,730	7,623	3,671	3,410	7,081	3,024	2,968	5,99
Alpine	67	69	136	63	51	114	53	49	10
Butte	526	569	1,095	464	403	867	343	349	69
Calaveras	66	77	143	62	74	136	42	47	8
Colusa Contra Costa	101 2,176	91 2,193	192 4,369	87 2,015	75 1,875	162 3,890	82 1,522	65 1,459	14 2,98
Del Norte	88	79	167	62	62	124	46	57	10
El Dorado	116	107	223	108	95	203	95	84	17
Fresno	2,082	1,943	4,025	1,656	1,628	3,284	1,362	1,369	2,73
GlennHumboldt	130	121	251	138	106	244	92	76	16
Humboldt	569	540	1,109	497	511	1,008	356	376	73
Imperial	415	415	830	384	391	775	283	272	55
Inyo Kern	1,936	1,817	174 3,753	65 1,585	72 1,488	3,073	1,137	1,101	2,23
Kings	372	305	677	305	272	577	221	237	45
Lake	109	70	179	80	74	154	76	67	14
Lassen	157	153	310	113	110	223	98	92	19
Los Angeles	23,403	22,552	45,955	21,810	21,007	42,817	17,593	17,303	34,89
Madera	326	304	630	207	254	461	151	183	33
Marin	487	396	883	373	402	775	295	302	59
Mariposa	28	29	57	29	25	54	20	11	3
Mendocino	343 570	326 568	669 1,138	243 438	245 435	488 873	246 353	212 340	45 69
Mariposa Mendocino Merced Modoc	52	46	98	46	49	95	51	34	8
Mono	7	9	16	5	5	10	8	3	1
Monterey	669	675	1,344	586	535	1,121	476	458	93
Napa	303	236	539	208	208	416	210	191	40
Nevada	123	133	256	111	100	211	76	79	15
Orange	1,555	1,470	3,025	1,341	1,310	2,651	1,118	1,052	2,17
PlacerPlumas	368 100	295 90	663 190	279 87	282 85	561 172	248 69	217 68	46 13
Riverside	1,343	1,196	2,539	1,068	1,019	2,087	879	785	1,66
Sacramento	1,824	1,783	3,607	1,699	1,541	3,240	1,339	1,250	2,58
San Benito	92	78	170	84	81	165	67	56	12
San Bernardino	2,203	2,081	4,284	1,947	1,800	3,747	1,494	1,494	2,98
San Diego	3,265	2,998	6,263	2,894	2,703	5,597	2,343	2,384	4,72
San Francisco	2,590	2,407	4,997	2,546	2,192	4,738 2,283	1,989	1,914	3,90
San Joaquin San Luis Obispo	1,338 377	1,275 335	2,613 712	1,163 311	1,120 311	622	1,095 301	1,017 253	2,11
San Mateo	1,398	1,330	2,728	1,256	1,287	2,543	1.062	955	2,01
Santa Barbara	598	546	1.144	554	487	1,041	464	413	87
Santa Clara	1,965	1,895	3,860	1,718	1,618	3,336	1,368	1,448	2,81
Santa Cruz	425	367	792	401	327	728	316	277	59
Shasta	364	327	691	271	259	530	265	259	52
Sierra	11	20	31	11	16	27	14	13	2
Siskiyou	241 653	265 616	506 1,269	252 548	206 545	1,093	181 433	188 476	36
Solano	794	652	1,446	619	537	1,156	510	461	97
stanislaus	1,049	1,012	2,061	879	851	1,730	745	746	1,49
Sutter	214	215	429	178	167	345	164	152	31
Tehama	171	159	330	142	123	265	121	114	23
Frinity	41	35	76	27	28	55	19	28	4
Frinity Fulare Fuolumne	1,199	1,109 106	2,308 180	954 89	906 68	1,860 157	785 63	749 54	1,53
	806	697	1,503	646	660	1,306	521	468	98
VenturaYolo	330	312	642	233	233	466	179	181	36
Yuba	188	181	369	164	133	297	107	109	21
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Total	64,781	61,488	126,269	57,772	54,857	112,629	46,632	45,409	92.0

TABLE 3—Continued GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

		Twelfth grade		Total,	grades 9 throu	igh 12
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda	2,258	2,456	4,714	12,846	12,564	25,410
Alpine Amador Butte Calaveras	47 297 43	40 284 42	87 581 85	230 1,630 213	209 1,605 240	439 3,235 453
Colusa. Contra Costa. Del Norte. El Dorado. Fresno.	56 1,161 41 49 1,148	35 1,194 36 55 1,114	2,355 77 104 2,262	326 6,874 237 368 6,248	266 6,721 234 341 6,054	592 13,595 471 709 12,302
Glenn Humboldt Imperial Inyo. Kern	95	57	152	455	360	815
	286	291	577	1,708	1,718	3,426
	211	202	413	1,293	1,280	2,573
	39	42	81	257	241	498
	920	873	1,793	5,578	5,279	10,857
KingsLakeLasenLasenLasenLasenLos AngelesMadera	204	160	364	1,102	974	2,076
	49	41	90	314	252	566
	90	79	169	458	434	892
	13,762	14,298	28,060	76,568	75,160	151,728
	150	152	302	834	893	1,727
Marin	239	234	473	1,394	1,334	2,728
	20	16	36	97	81	178
	178	160	338	1,010	943	1,953
	280	339	619	1,641	1,682	3,323
	43	29	72	192	158	350
Mono	7	4	11	27	21	48
Monterey	426	430	856	2,157	2,098	4,255
Napa	134	136	270	855	771	1,626
Nevada	74	72	146	384	384	768
Orange	958	857	1,815	4,972	4,689	9,661
Placer Plumas Riverside Sacramento San Benito	210	201	411	1,105	995	2,100
	50	54	104	306	297	603
	732	658	1,390	4,022	3,658	7,680
	1,050	1,021	2,071	5,912	5,595	11,507
	57	50	107	300	265	565
San Bernardino	1,115	1,219	2,334	6,759	6,594	13,353
	1,785	1,917	3,702	10,287	10,002	20,289
	1,597	1,615	3,212	8,722	8,128	16,850
	689	781	1,470	4,285	4,193	8,478
	237	210	447	1,226	1,109	2,335
San Mateo	831	849	1,680	4,547	4,421	8,968
Santa Barbara	352	350	702	1,968	1,796	3,764
Santa Clara	1,177	1,175	2,352	6,228	6,136	12,364
Santa Cruz	247	219	466	1,389	1,190	2,579
Shasta	161	194	355	1,061	1,039	2,100
Sierra	8	11	19	44	60	104
Siskiyou	174	171	345	848	830	1,678
Solano	441	395	836	2,075	2,032	4,107
Sonoma	380	383	763	2,303	2,033	4,336
Stanislaus	548	576	1,124	3,221	3,185	6,406
Sutter	123	117	240	679	651	1,330
	97	93	190	531	489	1,020
	20	19	39	107	110	217
	645	575	1,220	3,583	3,339	6,922
	49	46	95	275	274	549
Ventura	435	405	840	2,408	2,230	4,638
Volo	177	148	325	919	874	1,793
Vuba	83	77	160	542	500	1,042
Total	36,735	37,257	73,992	205,920	199,011	404,931

TABLE 3—Continued

GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES

	Th	irteenth gr	ade	Fo	urteenth gr	ade	Total,	grades 13	and 14
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda									
Alpine									
Amador									
AlpineAmadorButteCalaveras				-:				::	-:
Colusa	861	555	1,416	325	168	493	1,186	723	1,909
Contra Costa	801	555	1,410	323	108	493	1,100	140	1,909
Del NorteEl Dorado									
Fresno	422	235	657	174	104	278	596	339	935
GlennHumboldt									
Imperial	37	29	66	12	12	24	49	41	90
Inyo									
Imperial Inyo Kern	375	215	590	217	110	327	592	325	917
KingsLake									
lassen	45	ii	56	23	4	27	68	15	83
Lassen Los Angeles Madera	17,565	12,151	29,716	7,659	4,584	12,243	25,224	16,735	41,959
	100		280		39	128	252	156	408
Marin Mariposa	163	117		89		128			
Mendocino									
Merced Modoc									
Modoc									
Mono	345	208	553	215	104	319	560	312	872
Monterey	69	55	124	47	21	68	116	76	192
Nevada									
Nevada Orange	877	620	1,497	633	534	1,167	1,510	1,154	2,664
Placer	90	54	144	71	33	104	161	87	248
PlumasRiverside	261	155	416	85	53	138	346	208	554
Sacramento	419	789	1,208	54	566	620	473	1,355	1.828
San Benito	6	10	16	7	2	9	13	12	25
San Bernardino	614	443	1,057	359	174	533	973	617	1,590
an Diego	720	251	971	229	105	334	949	356	1,305
an Francisco	1,586 256	1,094	2,680 419	1,415 175	800 105	2,215 280	3,001 431	1,894	4,895 699
San Joaquin San Luis Obispo	27	42	69	6	17	23	33	59	92
an Mateo	391	178	569	189	87	276	580	265	845
anta Barbara	122	88	210	57	48	105	179	136	315
anta Clara	236	126	362	51	35	86	287	161	448
Santa Crus	119	89	208	57	36	93	176	125	301
ierra									
iskiyou			0.55	400	55	00=	905	140	1,054
olano	707 252	110 173	817 425	198 175	39 118	237 293	427	149 291	718
onomatanislaus	317	192	509	169	112	281	486	304	718 790
utter									
ehama					~-				
rinity	326	192	518	142	93	235	468	285	753
'ulare 'uolumne	326	192	918	142		200	400		
entura	250	237	487	152	93	245	402	330	732
olo			[77	5.0	110	212	135	347
uba	135	96	231		39	116			
Total	27,593	18,678	46,271	13,062	8,235	21,297	40,655	26,913	67,568

TABLE 4

TOTAL GRADED ENROLLMENT, BY COUNTIES, WITH PER CENTS OF INCREASE OR DECREASE SINCE MARCH 31, 1952

County	and gr	ollment, ki ades 1 thro March 31, 1	ugh 14,	tween Mar	decrease be- ch 31, 1952 h 31, 1953
	Male	Female	Total	Number	Per cent
Alameda. Alpine Amador Butte. Calaveras.	61,313 18 894 6,670 933	59,433 14 842 6,423 925	120,746 32 1,736 13,093 1,858	7,974 -3 -6 18	7.1 -8.6 3 .1
Colusa Costa Del Norte El Dorado Fresno	1,240 37,614 1,166 1,579 32,814	1,073 35,439 1,178 1,488 30,488	2,313 73,053 2,344 3,067 63,302	-20 2,676 384 119 3,195	9 3.8 19.6 4.0 5.3
Glenn Humboldt Imperial Inyo Kern	1,846 8,291 7,658 1,178 28,191	1,613 7,720 7,286 1,114 26,111	3,459 16,011 14,944 2,292 54,302	84 1,416 922 31 2,315	$\begin{array}{c} 2.5 \\ 9.7 \\ 6.6 \\ -1.3 \\ 4.5 \end{array}$
Kings Lake Lassen Lassen Los Angeles Madera	5,491 1,180 2,198 388,083 4,578	5,245 959 1,972 366,727 4,432	10,736 2,139 4,170 754,810 9,010	-58 -3 77 55,365 196	$ \begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 1 \\ 1.9 \\ 7.9 \\ 2.2 \end{array} $
Marin Mariposa Mendocino Merced Modoc	7,897 406 4,602 8,076 937	7,520 372 4,303 7,666 847	15,417 778 8,905 15,742 1,784	1,433 -8 562 284 52	$ \begin{array}{r} 10.2 \\ -1.0 \\ 6.7 \\ 1.8 \\ 3.0 \end{array} $
Mono Monterey Napa Nevada Orange	135 12,386 3,910 1,728 26,179	113 11,842 3,611 1,621 24,336	248 24,228 7,521 3,349 50,515	-3 1,528 313 115 5,738	-1.2 6.7 4.3 3.6 12.8
Placer Plumas Riverside Sacramento San Benito	4,542 1,409 19,542 30,443 1,140	4,136 1,283 17,922 30,074 1,129	8,678 2,692 37,464 60,517 2,269	-512 9 3,322 5,958 15	-5.6 $.3$ 9.7 10.9 $.7$
San Bernardino San Diego San Francisco San Joaquin San Luis Obispo	33,930 53,653 39,747 20,877 5,781	31,839 51,020 36,317 19,867 5,437	65,769 104,673 76,064 40,744 11,218	5,072 8,796 4,858 1,622 856	8.4 9.2 6.8 4.1 8.3
San Mateo Santa Barbara Santa Clara Santa Cruz	26,087 9,035 32,271 5,543 4,877	24,539 8,482 30,644 5,111 4,551	50,626 17,517 62,915 10,654 9,428	5,245 441 5,719 179 537	11.6 2.6 10.0 1.7 6.0
Sierra Siskiyou Solano Sonoma Stanislaus	278 3,412 11,922 10,303 15,178	236 3,152 10,692 9,505 14,436	514 6,564 22,614 19,808 29,614	9 162 1,707 1,460 1,259	1.8 2.5 8.2 8.0 4.4
utter Pehama Prinity Vulare Vuolumne	2,954 2,106 499 17,633 1,243	2,824 1,891 453 16,434 1,140	5,778 3,997 952 34,067 2,383	125 120 30 150 86	$\begin{array}{c} 2.2\\ 3.1\\ -3.1\\ .4\\ 3.7 \end{array}$
VenturaVoloVubaVubaVubaVuba	12,379 4,291 3,018	11,560 4,106 2,775	23,939 8,397 5,793	1,763 868 405	$\begin{array}{c} 8.0 \\ 11.5 \\ 7.5 \end{array}$
Total	1,033,284	974,268	2,007,552	134,844	7.2

TABLE 5
ENROLLMENT IN SPECIAL CLASSES, BY COUNTIES

County	Ung elen	raded pupil nentary sch	s in ools	Post in ele	graduate po mentary sc	ipils hools	Specia classes in	day and er elementary	vening v schools
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda	63	23	86						
Alpine				***					
Amador									
ButteCalaveras									
Colusa Contra Costa	11	3	14	2	1	3			
Contra Costa									
Del NorteEl Dorado									
Fresno									
Glenn					i				
Humboldt		ī	1	1	1	2			
Imperial									
Kern							36	53	89
IVELII				-					
Kings							18	16	34
Lake									
Lassen Los Angeles	150	29	179					25	25
Madera									
Marin									
Mariposa Mendocino Merced	3	ĩ	4						
Mendocino	ī	1	2						
Modoc									
Mono Monterey	12	4	16	-2	i	3	-8	6	14
Napa	9	3	12						
Napa Nevada Orange	2	1	3						
Placer									
Plumas Riverside									
Sacramento	- 4	2	6						
San Benito									
San Bernardino			-77				20		20
San Diego	389	155	544				-8	4	12
San Francisco	ī		ī						
San Joaquin San Luis Obispo									
San Mateo	6	4	10					2	
Santa Barbara							1	1	3
Santa Clara	32	16	48						
Santa Cruz									
Sierra	-1	2	3						
Solano	i	1	2						
SiskiyouSolanoSonoma	57	30	87 17				-8	6	14
Stanislaus	12	5	14						
Sutter	-1		i						
Tehama	1		1						
Trinity		1	1						
Tuolumne									
Ventura	1		1						
Yolo		ī	ī						
Yuba		1	1						
Total	757	283	1,040	5	3	8	99	112	211

TABLE 5—Continued ENROLLMENT IN SPECIAL CLASSES, BY COUNTIES

				Special	classes f	or physic	ally hand	dicapped	minors			
County	Elem	entary so	hools	Grad junio	les 7 and r high sc	8 in hools	High	school	level	Junio	or college	level
	Male	Fe- male	Total	Male	Fe- male	Total	Male	Fe- male	Total	Male	Fe- male	Total
Alameda	122	126	248	17	16	33	36	68	104			
Alpine												
Amador Butte Calaveras	9 2	8	17 2	==			1 9	1 6	15			
Colusa Contra Costa	1 63	57	1 120		8	12	12	-5	21	=		
Del Norte		-2	-3									
El Dorado Fresno	61	84	145	23	9	32	19	24	43			-:
Glenn Humboldt	22	īī	33				ī	-3	4			
Imperial	11	18	29									
Inyo Kern	109	82	191				48	17	65			
Kings	10	7	17									
Lassen	-4	-2	-6									7
Los Angeles Madera	1,755 4	1,341	3,098	123	97	220	379	478	857	4	3	
Marin	4	7	11				2	1	3			
Mariposa Mendocino	2	3	5									
Merced Modoc	13	9	22									
Mono Monterey	6		īō	ī		ī	ĩ	ī	-2			
Napa												
Nevada Orange	77	79	156	7	5	12						
Placer	19	24	43			ī	14	19	33	1	2	3
Plumas Riverside	29	26	55	ī		1	34	19	53			
Sacramento	45	32	77				20	16	36			
San Benito				2		6	28	42	70			
San Bernardino. San Diego	85 144	60 113	145 257	8	4	12	8	12	20			
San Francisco	443	398 30	841	18	10 8	28 10	69 8	82 22	151 30			
San Joaquin San Luis Obispo	61 5	6	11									
San Mateo Santa Barbara	59 20	56 17	115 37	2			3	5 5	8 8			-:-
Santa Clara	60	58	118	14		14	19	10	29			
Santa Crus Shasta	16	16	32 16				6	5	11 4			
Sierra	- <u>i</u>	3	4				ī	- <u>i</u>	-2			-:
Siskiyou Solano	33	21	54	4	ī	5	2	4	6			
Sonoma Stanislaus	12 25	8 22	20 47	1	1	2	3	9	12	ī	3	4
Sutter Tehama	1	1	2				-ī		-1			
Trinity		**						-7				
Tulare Tuolumne	64	42	106				8	7	15			::
Ventura	15	15	30	3	4	7	1	4	5			
Yolo Yuba	4	4	-8									
						397	738	874	1,612	6	8	14

TABLE 5—Continued
ENROLLMENT IN SPECIAL CLASSES, BY COUNTIES

	,		Speci	ial classes f	or mentally	retarded n	ninors		
County	Elei	mentary sch	nools	Grades	7 and 8 in high schools	junior 3	Hi	gh school le	vel
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda	393	219	612	149	114	263	261	180	441
Alpine									
ButteCalaveras	24	16	40	==		==	==	=	::
Colusa	72	45	117				20	-7	27
Del Norte									
El Dorado Fresno	155	96	251	27	12	39			::
Glenn Humboldt	15	īī	26	23	9	32	-6	-2	-8
Imperial									
Imperial Inyo Kern	209	118	327				33	15	48
KingsLake	12	8	20						
Lassen									077
Los Angeles	4.032	2,715	6,747	177	124	301	149	95	244
Marin Mariposa	31	17	48						
Mendocino									
Merced Modoc	44	31	75	-:-					
Mono	108	64	172				-3		-5
Monterey Napa	13	9 2	22	-8	7	15			
Nevada Orange	100	2 54	9 154	-6	-5	īī			
Placer	23	17	40	1		1			
Plumas	89	44	133	-4	7	ii			
Sacramento	387 32	156 16	543 48	9	20	29	16	-5	21
San Bernardino	138	83	221	50	39	89	23	10	33
San Diego	498 396	311 253	809 649	175 216	116 130	291 346	151 280	108 195	259 475
San Joaquin	87	61	148	15	12	27	97	38	135
San Luis Obispo	25	20	45						
San Mateo Santa Barbara	38 68	26 30	64 98	9	-1	īō	12	7	19
Santa Clara	105	71	176	5	9	14	8	3	11
Santa Cruz Shasta	70 23	63 15	133 38				9	14	23
SierraSiskiyou									
Solano	42	21	63	9	4	13	4	ī	5
SonomaStanislaus	59 235	32 114	91 349				18	10	28
Sutter	13	2	15						
Trinity									
Tehama Trinity Tulare Tuolumne	122	80	202				21	13	34
Ventura	66	56	122	8	7	15	9	6	15
YoloYuba	19	-8	27				3	3	-6
-			12,642	891	616	1,507	1,123	714	1,837

TABLE 5—Continued

ENROLLMENT IN SPECIAL CLASSES, BY COUNTIES

	Compu	lsory contin	nuation		Spec	ial pupils in	regular ci	asses	
County		classes		Hi	gh school le	vel	Jun	ior college l	evel
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda	147	88	235	84	22	106			
Alpine				667		667			
Amador				5	4	9			
Calaveras									
Colusa	114	65	179						
Del Norte		00							
El Dorado								1	
Fresno	145	116	261	36	4	40	971	248	1,219
Glenn	42	17	59						
HumboldtImperial	44			2		2	15	16	31
Inyo		1		11	5	10	560	457	1,017
Kern	289	50	339	14	5	19	900	457	1,017
KingsLake									
Lassen							12	4	16
Los Angeles Madera	3,197	1,646	4,843	499	344	843	4,030	3,887	7,917
				2		3	347	144	491
Marin Mariposa				2	1		347	199	491
Mendocino									
Merced									
Modoc									**
Monterey	42	7	49		1	1	162	218	380
Napa							8	12	20
Nevada				33	5	38	52	61	113
Orange				00	3	90		- 11	
Placer							30	18	48
Plumas	65	27	92				22	27	49
Sacramento	95	21	116	37	1	38	42	60	102
San Benito									
San Bernardino	125	40	165	5	1	6	2,285	1,214	3,499
San Diego San Francisco	458 528	235 285	693 813				161 336	82 237	243 573
San Joaquin	117	44	161	36	131	167			
San Luis Obispo				113		113	2	6	8
San Mateo	5	3	8	1	1	2	96	186	282
Santa Barbara Santa Clara	22 62	21 84	43 146	1	1	2	41	88	129
Santa Cruz	176	33	209		1				
Shasta	15	1	16				10	31	41
Sierra									
SiskiyouSolano									
Sonoma					82	82	51	166	217
Stanislaus	12	6	18				43	36	79
Sutter									
Tehama									
Tulare	23	6	29	71	73	144	35	49	84
Tuolumne									
Ventura	91	49	140						
YoloYuba							9	16	$\overline{25}$
-			-					_	
Total	5,770	2,844	8,614	1,606	676	2,282	9,320	7,263	16,583

TABLE 5—Concluded ENROLLMENT IN SPECIAL CLASSES, BY COUNTIES

			Classes fo	or adults			To	tal enrollm	ent in
County	Hi	gh school le	vel	Juni	or college l	evel		pecial class	
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Alameda	9,874	13,869	23,743				11,146	14,725	25,87
Alpine									-
Amador	24 48	43	67 102				691	43 83	73 17
Butte Calaveras	15	54 36	51				87 26	42	6
Colusa Contra Costa Del Norte	68 3,273	79 4,917	147 8,190	1,663	1,480	3,143	82 5,221	83 6,588	16 11,80
El Dorado	2,575	3,304	5,879				4,012	3,897	7,90
	26	68	94				26	68	9
Glenn Humboldt Imperial	344	673	1,017				454	728	1,18
Imperial .	198	215	413				226	249	47
nyo	55 5,916	71 9,408	15 224				7,214	71 10,205	12 17,41
Kern			15,324						
KingsLake	1,034	1,239	2,273 14				1,056 26	1,254 22	2,31 4
LassenLos Angeles	148 40,752 147	180 82,237 258	328 122,989 405	11,741	12,390	24,131	164 66,988 157	186 105,411 262	35 172,39 41
	1,177	772	1,949	1,912	969	2,881	3,475	1,911	5,38
Marin				1,912	909	2,001	3	1	
Mariposa Mendocino	110	190	300				112	193	30
Merced Modoc	403 47	269 49	672 96				461 47	310 49	77
Mono	2,058	1,592	3,650	1,251	1,553	2,804	3,654	3,452	7,10
Monterey	2,058 579	635	1,214			2,804	617	666	1,28
Nevada	010	000	1,211				9	3	1
Orange	1,244	2,536	3,780	1,574	1,834	3,408	3,093	4,579	7,67
Placer	829	959	1,788				917	1,039	1,95
Plumas	100 980	26	126 2,473	287	417	704	103 1,510	2,060	13 3,57
Riverside	3,553	1,493 2,910	6,463		417	70%	4,192	3,218	7,41
San Benito	153	166	319				201	187	38
San Bernardino	3,441	3,991	7,432	1,732	1,155	2,887	7,934 11,221 17,777	6,639	14,57
San Diego	8,962	14,474	23,436	267	265	532	11,221	15,875	27,09 35,72
an Francisco	15,483 988	16,353 894	31,836 1,882				1,412	17,947 1,240	2,65
San JoaquinSan Luis Obispo	971	917	1,888				1,116	949	2,06
San Mateo	2,500	4,472	6,972	2,565	3,336	5,901	5,273	8,089	13,36
anta Barbara	1,504	2,208	3,712				1,683	2,380 7,894	4,06 14,23
Santa Clara	6,040 894	7,643 1,079	13,683				6,345 1,171	1,210	2,38
Shasta	996	1,212	2,208				1,054	1,269	2,32
sierrasiskiyou	.55	.==	457				200	***	45
Siskiyou	282 2,518	192 2,325	474 4,843				285 2,613	198 2,378	48 4,99
Solano	1,088	1,360	2,448	225	351	576	1,496	2,039	3,53
Stanislaus	261	442	703	972	1,381	2,353	1,588	2,025	3,61
Sutter	98	390	488				112	393	50
Tehama	193 25	232 41	425 66				195 26	232	42
Culare	858	871	1,729	782	481	1,263	1,984	1,623	3,60
Tulare Tuolumne	112	222	334				112	222	33
Ventura	1,076	1,661	2,737				1,270	1,802 183	3,07
Yolo	137	183	320	571	415	986	137 628	469	1,09
uud									
Total	124,187	189,438	313,625	25,542	26,027	51,569	181,458	236,712	418,17

DEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

ROY E. SIMPSON, Superintendent

NEW STATE EDUCATION BUILDING

During the period from May 18 to July 1, all the offices of the State Department of Education which are located in Sacramento moved to the new State Education Building, at 721 Capitol Avenue, Sacramento, with the exception of the Textbook Warehouse and the district office and warehouse of the Surplus Property Agency, which will remain in their former locations, 1108 R Street and 1126½ I Street, respectively.

The Bureau of Adult Education, the Bureau of Indian Education, and the headquarters office of the Child Care Center Program moved from Los Angeles to the new location in Sacramento during the week of June 8. The headquarters office of the Bureau of Agricultural Education, previously located at California State Polytechnic College, San Luis Obispo, will move to Sacramento on July 1. The office of the State Teachers' Retirement System is also established in the new State Education Building.

Correspondence should be directed to the State Department of Education, 721 Capitol Avenue, Sacramento 14, and visitors should come to that address.

On Thursday, July 9, the dedication and laying of the cornerstone of the new building will be held, following which there will be tours of the building. All friends of education are cordially invited to be present at this event.

CLASSIFICATION OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS FOR SELECTIVE SERVICE

Chief state school officers in the United States have recently received from Rall I. Grigsby, Acting Commissioner of Education in the new federal Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, a communication enclosing General Information Bulletin No. 37 from National Head-quarters of Selective Service. This bulletin, dated April 28, 1953, modifies and clarifies the rights of high school students under Selective Service procedures. The information contained in it is presented here, in slightly abbreviated form, because of its importance to high school students and principals.

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Under the Selective Service law every youth must register with a local board within five days after he reaches his eighteenth birthday, although he does not actually become liable for service until he is 18½ years of age. Shortly after a youth registers, his local Selective Service board will mail him a classification questionnaire. The local board will classify the registrant on the basis of the information he puts into this questionnaire.

National Headquarters of Selective Service officials have announced that local boards may classify a high school student directly into Class I-S if they have in their possession, prior to making the classification, evidence that the registrant is a full-time high school student and that he is making satisfactory grades. It is therefore suggested that every youth who receives a questionnaire while still in high school go to the principal of the high school, after mailing his questionnaire, and request the principal to send a letter to the student's local Selective Service board. The principal's letter should attest that the registrant is a full-time student at that high school, that he is making satisfactory grades, and it should give the date on which the student is expected to receive his diploma.

A student who receives a I-S statutory deferment is entitled to retain that classification until one of the following occurs: (1) he graduates, (2) he reaches age 20, or (3) he ceases to make satisfactory grades.

By classifying a student directly into Class I-S a local board can, in many instances, effect a monetary saving to the government, besides avoiding inconvenience to the student. If the student is classified in I-A he must be sent for a preinduction physical examination when his order number is reached. Since a preinduction physical examination is only good for a prescribed period, many students who might later be reclassified into I-S would have to be re-examined after the termination of their I-S deferment.

If the registrant disagrees with the classification made by the local board he may appeal to the State Appeal Board by merely sending, within ten days from the date of mailing a letter to his local board stating that he wishes to appeal his classification.

All registrants are required by law to notify their local boards of changes in their status. Therefore, all high school students should be reminded that they must notify their local boards when they receive their diplomas, when they cease to make satisfactory grades, or if they quit high school without graduating.

One of the problems facing many a youth in his last year of high school is deciding whether to go into service immediately after graduation and discharge his obligation or go on to college and try to complete his education before going into service.

For the high school senior intending to enter college, there are two provisions to consider. First, a full-time college student called for induction during his academic year may request that he be deferred until he has finished his academic year of study. If he does so, the deferment must be granted. However, he can obtain such a statutory deferment only once.

Also, a youth who starts a full-time college course before being called can try for a second type of student deferment. He can apply for permission to take the Selective Service College Qualification Test, which is being given at various intervals each year. The results of the test are sent to the local board. The board can then defer the student for another academic year if he has achieved a certain score or if he attains prescribed class standing. A local board is not required to defer a student who meets either of these criteria but its decision is subject to appeal.

A student can also gain deferment by being accepted for college military training. Members of college ROTC units are deferred, so long as they remain in good stand-

¹The letter requesting appeal from classification by local board must be received by the State Appeal Board within ten days of the date on which the notice of classification was mailed by the local board, as shown by the date stamped on the envelope by the Post Office.

ing, provided they sign an agreement to accept a commission upon graduation and serve two years on active duty.

Students should be reminded that a deferment is just that-a delay. When the student graduates from college, he is expected to serve two years on active duty. In fact, if he has been deferred, he remains liable for service until age 35.

If high school students are advised of their rights and obligations under the law and keep their local boards correctly advised of their status at all times, the Selective Service machinery can function with the minimum of concern and inconvenience to the registrant and a lighter work load on the local board. The men who operate the local boards or appeal boards, or act as appeal agents and advisors, all serve without compensation. These men donate their time as a patriotic service so that our registrants may be classified by local men who are familiar with local conditions.

INTERPRETATIONS OF LAW APPLICABLE TO SCHOOLS

ELMER LAINE, Administrative Adviser

[The following items are merely digests, and although care is taken to state accurately the purport of the opinions reported, the items have the limitations common to all digests. The reader is therefore urged to examine the complete text of an opinion digested and, when necessary, secure competent legal advice before taking any action based thereon.]

OPINIONS OF CALIFORNIA ATTORNEY GENERAL

Authority to Grant a Credential Following Mandatory Revocation of Previous Credential of Applicant

The State Board of Education has discretionary power under Education Code Section 12106 to grant a credential to an applicant who has had a previous credential revoked pursuant to Education Code Section 12755 (which makes revocation mandatory following the conviction of the holder for commission of any crime enumerated therein), provided such revocation was not for the conviction of a sex offense defined in Section 12011.7. (AGO 53-12; 21 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 65.)

Incompatible Offices; County Supervisor and Trustee of a Union High School District

A county supervisor may not also concurrently be the trustee of a union high school district located within the same county. The duties and responsibilities of the two offices are incompatible. A conflict of interest could arise in fulfilling the duties and responsibilities imposed upon each office by law. The offices being incompatible, the first office occupied becomes vacant upon the actual assumption of the duties of the second office. (AGO 52-250; 21 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 94.)

Compatible Offices; Clerk and Assessor of Sixth-class Nonchartered City and Trustee of Union High School District

The duties imposed by law upon the offices of the city clerk and city assessor of a sixth-class nonchartered city and those of a trustee of a union high school district in the same county are not incompatible and both may be held concurrently by one person. The duties of such clerk and assessor are ministerial rather than legislative; their exercise would not require inconsistent action or a division of loyalty with the exercise by the same person of the legislative duties imposed upon a trustee of a union high school district. School district taxes are levied in the same manner as county or city and county taxes; in no case do the property assessments of a city assessor affect the county tax roll. (AGO 53-16; 21 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 117.)

NOTES ON DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

Compiled by MARGARET RAUCH, Administrative Assistant

WORKSHOP ON PUBLIC LIBRARY STANDARDS

The California State Library, which constitutes the Division of Libraries of the State Department of Education, sponsored a workshop on public library standards at Sacramento Junior College, March 28 to April 2, 1953. The workshop leader was Robert D. Leigh, director of the recent nation-wide Public Library Inquiry. Librarians from 45 representative public libraries in California participated in the formulation of tentative standards of materials, facilities, and personnel essential to good public library service. A statement of these tentative standards will be submitted to the California Library Association for approval or modification.

HOSPITAL INTERNSHIP FOR VETERANS

Recent changes in U. S. Veterans Administration regulations have placed hospital internship courses in the category of institutional training. As such, these courses will be subject to approval and supervision by the Bureau of Readjustment Education as are other types of medical training for veterans under Public Law 346 and Public Law 550. The Bureau is now in the process of co-ordinating the change-over from the Division of Apprenticeship Standards of the Department of Industrial Relations, which formerly approved and supervised internship training as part of their on-job-training program.

STUDENT PERSONNEL PROGRAMS IN JUNIOR COLLEGES

At the request of the Committee on Vocational Education in the Junior College of the California Junior College Association, the Bureau of Guidance is undertaking a study of the student personnel programs in California's public junior colleges. The Committee on Student Personnel Work of the state association and a similar committee of the American Association of Junior Colleges are co-operating in this study, which will deal with the patterns of organization for counseling, placement, housing, student activities, student welfare, student health services, and the granting of loans and scholarships. Several of the junior colleges have been visited this spring and the information gathered is being used in formulating procedures for carrying on the study. The remaining colleges will be visited next fall.

JOINT MEETING OF STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND COUNCIL OF STATE COLLEGE PRESIDENTS

The State Board of Education and the Council of State College Presidents held a joint meeting in Oakland on April 16, 1953, at which discussion centered around several areas of joint concern: functions and curriculum of the state colleges, staff personnel, and the state college building program. The State Board of Education reaffirmed its previous endorsement of the long-term building program of the state colleges and of requesting adjustments in compensation for all state college employees, such adjustments to be made in relationship to the schedules existing in both the public schools and the University of California.

EDUCATION OF HOMEMAKERS

Members of the Bureau of Homemaking Education have been working with the State College Curriculum Committee on the Education of Homemakers, which is concerned with the development of a plan for homemaking education in the state colleges. The committee expects to prepare clear statements of objectives for the homemaker, the teacher of home economics, and the home economist in business which will help guide the kinds of educational experiences in this area to be offered by the state colleges. The committee will also consider the extent and degree to which homemaking education should be developed in each of the colleges and the kind of staff, facilities, and equipment that will be necessary for such a program.

Everyone concerned with home and family living will be interested in the fact that this committee has started with "Homemaking for the Homemaker" as the core of the state college program. Other emphases will be considered as natural outgrowths of the home-centered approach. The committee believes that other aspects of the program will gain greater strength through the development of a strong foundation program in homemaking, and that through increased emphasis on homemaking more students who are training for teaching will be attracted into this program where a shortage of teachers exists.

Membership of the committee is as follows:

C. O. McCorkle, California State Polytechnic College, Chairman

Mrs. Gwendolyn D. Wagner, Chico State College

Louise Porch, Fresno State College

Mrs. Flo Ramsey, Humboldt State College

Albert Graves, Los Angeles State College of Applied Arts and Sciences

George Sorensen, San Diego State College Gertrude Luehning, San Francisco State College

Margaret Jones, San Jose State College

M. Catherine Starr, Sacramento State College

James B. Enochs, Specialist in State College Curricula, State Department of

Education

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

CHARTERS OF FREEDOM

The original copies of three great American documents—The Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and the Bill of Rights—were placed on permanent display in the Exhibition Hall of the National Archives at Washington on December 15, 1953, the one hundred sixty-

first anniversary of the ratification of the Bill of Rights.

The National Archives and Records Service of the General Services Administration has recently announced the issuance of *Charters of Freedom*, a 16-page publication presenting readable facsimiles of these three documents under one cover. The pages are 11 by 14 inches in size, permitting the reproduction of the documents at only a little less than half-size. Each document is accompanied by text giving briefly its historical background. One page relates the story of the travels of the documents, the measures taken to protect them from destruction or loss in time of war, and the precautions against deterioration during storage or exhibit.

Charters of Freedom is intended for wide circulation among educators, teachers, and school pupils in the belief that it will help to develop a richer understanding and appreciation of the fundamental principles underlying our democracy. The publication can be ordered by mail at a price of 25 cents per copy, or 20 cents in quantities of 500 or more. Checks or money orders should be made payable to the Treasurer of the United States and sent to Wayne C. Grover, Archivist of the United

States, The National Archives, Washington 25, D.C.

"KEEP OUR ROADSIDES CLEAN"

The California State Chamber of Commerce has launched a campaign to eliminate unsightly litter along the state's roadsides. The program of education regarding the need for this effort will be developed through local committees which will include representatives of schools, youth

groups, and parent-teacher associations.

The remedy for unnecessary littering of roadsides proposed by the State Chamber of Cemmerce is a simple one. The motoring public is to be induced to carry used grocery bags or other containers in their automobiles; to deposit in these containers, while driving, any accumulated rubbish such as paper, bottles, cans, and picnic remnants; and then to dispose of these containers in receptacles provided for the purpose along the highways or at roadside services patronized along the route. One of the key points in the plan is that district engineers of the State Division

of Highways are authorized to place trash containers at strategic spots along the highways under their jurisdiction.

A number of desirable effects are expected to result from the proposed improvement in behavior of the traveling public, among which are the following: (1) Driving will be made more pleasant through the elimination of roadside litter; (2) California will not rank among the states having the most untidy highways; (3) the annual expenditure of \$450,000 by the State Division of Highways for scavenging of bottles and cans thoughtlessly tossed from passing cars will be reduced, and the savings can be used for needed highway construction or roadside beautification; and (4) the danger from roadside fires started through the effect of sun shining through glass bottles will be reduced or eliminated.

The Chamber of Commerce urges teachers and other school personnel to give attention to this subject, before the beginning of summer vacations, by explaining to pupils how they can help by providing and using paper bags to keep refuse from defacing California's roadsides.

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK, 1953

November 8-14, 1953, has been designated as this year's American Education Week by its sponsors, the National Education Association, the American Legion, the United States Office of Education, and the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

The central theme for the 1953 observance is addressed to the individual citizen: "Good Schools Are Your Responsibility." The daily topics relate to various aspects of the modern school program and to some of the schools' most urgent needs: "Moral and Spiritual Foundations," "Learning the Fundamentals," "Building the National Strength," "Preparing for Loyal Citizenship," "The School Board in Action," "Your Child's Teachers," and "Parent and Teacher Teamwork."

Various program aids and publicity helps will be provided by the sponsors as usual, to encourage nation-wide observance of American Education Week. These will be obtainable at nominal cost from the National Education Association, 1201 Sixteenth St., N.W., Washington 6, D.C. An order folder listing the various items may be secured from that address about July 1.

CONFERENCE ON EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

The Western Division of the International Council for Exceptional Children, which is a department of the National Education Association, has announced its first regional conference, to be held November 1-4, 1953, at the Multnomah Hotel, Portland, Oregon. All chapters of the International Council for Exceptional Children in the ten western states and Canada have been invited to participate, and related educational and

community groups will also be welcome. Mrs. Edythe B. Sharinghousen, 3706 N.E. 18th Avenue, Portland 12, Oregon, is chairman of general arrangements.

MEETING OF COUNCIL ON TEACHER EDUCATION

The California Council on Teacher Education will hold its annual fall meeting November 5, 6, and 7, 1953, at the Awahnee Hotel, Yosemite National Park.

A GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY IN AVIATION

At the request of California's aviation industry, Governor Earl Warren has recently appointed a 37-member committee to direct California's participation in the national observance of the Fiftieth Anniversary of Powered Flight. The national committee is headed by Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle.

The purpose of commemorating the first powered flight of the Wright brothers, at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, in 1903, is to stimulate public interest in the importance of aviation and to promote a better understanding of the social and economic contributions it has made. A contest for teachers is being planned in which a prominent teacher in aviation education will be selected to represent California at a meeting to be held in Washington, D.C., in December, 1953. Details regarding the contest will be made available in the near future.

Mrs. Helen Cowan Wood, general consultant in the office of the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools and former staff member of the State Department of Education, has been selected to work during the summer of 1953 with the Materials Production Committee of the National Aviation Education Council in the preparation of instructional materials for aviation education at the elementary school level. In nearly a hundred school districts throughout California, aviation materials are already being used to motivate learning on the secondary level. The interest of youth in this subject and the tremendous need for trained personnel in civil and military aviation present a real challenge to the schools of the state.

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